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1000 pairs 10-ounce Blue Drill Overalls and Jumpers a 50c. Worth $1.

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1000 Ball's Health Corsets, 89c.

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In the city. We ask prudent buyers to investigate our new prices on Black and Colored Silks, absolutely the lowest in city. Investigate our prices on Wool Dress Goods. It will pay you.

1000 Handsome Embroidered Handkerchiefs, 16 2-3c Worth 35c.

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NEW GOODS NOW ON THE WAY

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During this week we will make runs in the following Departments:

Millinery Department.

Elegant new shapes in satin braid hats, 47c. worth 75c.

Large sun hats, 49c, worth 75c.

Ladies' fine all point braid hats, 85c, never sold for less than $1 25.

Ladies' ombby shapes in untrimmed hats, 95c, worth $1 50.

Boys' Clothing Department.

Boys' wool suits, $2 25, worth $3 50.

Boys' pants, 50c and 75c, worth double.

Youths' suits, $4 50, worth $7.

Youths' suits, $5 50, worth $8.

Gents' Furnishing Department.

Men's driving gloves, 75c, worth $1 25.

Gents' white shirts, 75c, worth $1 50.

Gents' Vienna shirts, 50c, worth 75c.

Gents' fine scarfs, worth 50c.

Windsor shades, 25c, worth 35c.

Suspenders, 25c, worth 50c.

Boys' cloth caps, 25c, worth 50c.

Hosiery Department.

Child's solid color ribbed hose, 10c, worth 25c.

Lisle thread solid color ribbed hose, 38c, worth 75c.

Lisle thread solid color plain hose, 38c, worth 75c.

California all-wool ribbed hose, 38c, worth 50c.

Lace boot sox and shams, 23, worth $4.

Silk Department.

Black gros grain silk, very nice, 50c, worth $1 25.

Black cachemire silk, very fine, $1, worth $1 75.

Silk face velvets, 50c, worth $1.

Brocade velvetenes, 35c, worth 75c.

Himalayan dress goods, 12½c, worth 20c.

Plain ponjee, $1 75, worth $2 50.

Solid color dress goods, 5c, worth 8c.

Corset Department.

Patent Roman shape corset, $1 50, worth $2 00.

Ball's spiral spring corset, 75c, worth $1.

Finest 600 fancy corset, 75c, worth $1 25.

Our P. N., same as C. P., $1, worth $1 75.

Our 75c corset, 49c, worth 95c.

Glove Department.

Scalloped top 6-button kid gloves, $1 50, worth $2.

Scalloped top 5 button kid gloves, $1 50, worth $2.

Plain 4 and 4-button kid gloves, 98c, worth $1 50.

Seamless lisle thread gloves, 49c, worth 60c.

Pure silk 6-button length gloves, 75c, worth $1.

Taffeta silk 4-button length gloves, 39c, worth 75c.

Domestic Department.

Yard wide bleached muslin, 5c, worth 8c.

3¼ yard wide sheeting, 18c, worth 25c.

New dress lawns, 5c, worth 8c.

Short length curtain net half price.

Parasol Department.

Black silk brocade, $1 25, worth $2.

Satin lace trimmed, $2 98, worth $4.

Plain ponjee, $1 75, worth $2 50.

Children's parasols, 25c, worth 50c.

Handsome Cornice Poles are furnished free with all Lace Curtains or with six yards of Curtain Net.

Our store will be open in the evening to receive call at their convenience. Remember the place.

PEOPLE'S STORE,

41, 43 and 45 Spring Street, Los Angeles.

WE HAVE GOT TO GET OUT

As the store is rented and possession will be given April 15. Therefore, as we do not wish to move our stock,

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No such opportunity was ever given in this city to buy staple goods at such GIVE AWAY PRICES. We will make the "dry bones" of high prices rattle. We have no second-hand or shop worn goods to work off on the people. Our goods are new, bought for cash, and we propose to give the public a benefit such as it has never had in this city.

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To take advantage of this

SLAUGHTER OF TINWARE, GLASSWARE, AGATEWARE, TABLEWARE, BIRD CAGES. PICTURE FRAMES, BRACKETS,

In fact everything kept in a Notion and Variety Store.

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The attention of country merchants is called to this sale. Fixtures are also for sale cheap.

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THE WEATHER.

SIGNAL SERVICE INDICATIONS.

By Telegraph to The Times.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 18—5 p. m.—Indications for succeeding thirty-two hours: For California, fair weather, light variable winds.

LOCAL BULLETIN.

LOS ANGELES SIGNAL OFFICE, March 18. —[U. S. M. to-day the thermometer registered: At 11:07 a. m. 65, and at 7:07 p. m. 48. Barometer for corresponding periods, 29.78, 29.81. Maximum temperature, 66.8; minimum, 48. Weather at 7:07 p. m., clear.

Rainfall for past 24 hours, .00

The Times.

Office—Temple, Main and New High.

A cold wave has been waving over the upper country.

There is now a prospect that the strike on the Gould system of railways is nearing its end.

A New York alderman has been jailed for bribery. His politics is not stated, but the inference is plain.

The mortal remains of Senator Miller reached San Francisco yesterday, and now lie in state at Trinity Church.

Huntington has been buying steamers to compete with the Pacific Mail, and there is a prospect of a cut-rate summer war.

Warnings have been sent by a prominent Chinese committee in San Francisco to their countrymen at home to stay away from the United States.

A bunch of seventy-five Nebraska farmers want to come to California to stay. Come on, Grangers, and you shall be made welcome to the g. c. of C.

Frank Rivas, an ex-convict and notorious horsethief, has been captured in San Luis Obispo county, and the Democratic majority there is reduced to.

There was snow in San Bernardino yesterday; but the visitation was nothing to the simoom that struck San Diego two weeks ago, and gutted that ambitious burg.

San Francisco's Chinese have been informed of the low passenger rates to the East, and advised to go there, where they can get work and escape the California boycott.

George Q. Cannon, the Mormon apostle, disappeared, and now his polygamous friends are begging money to reimburse his bondsmen. Some of the Saints demur, and intimate that Cannon is a bore, who should be spiked.

The St. Louis and San Francisco Company is at last, after many years of delay, in a fair way to secure a right of way for its road through the Indian Territory. This will constitute part of its Atlantic and Pacific overland system.

Miss Abigail I. Bates, a heroine of the war of 1812, is dead at Scituate, Mass. She was one of a band of brave women who helped drive off the bloody Britishers by torturing them with fife and drum. The b. B.'s couldn't stand the music.

The San Francisco Chronicle complains that there is not a strawberry to be found in the metropolis, while the fruit is plentiful in Pomona, Los Angeles county, at 15 cents a quart. Well, why don't the San Francisco robs send down 15 or 20 cents and get some?

Miss Rose Elizabeth Cleveland, of the White House, D. C., furnishes the country, through the Associated Press, with some rather juicy reading this morning. She slily discusses the important society question as to what is the true length of the fashionable dress train, and which end of the dress it should be on. Miss Cleveland has laid the whole subject bare to the gaze of her countrymen.

A report by Special Agent Spaulding, of the Treasury Department, shows that the departures of Chinese from the Pacific Coast during the past three years have been just about double the number of arrivals. The figures are 41,332 against 20,077. At this rate the problem must work itself out in no great length of time. The true policy of the country is to let the law work out its purpose and destiny.

The correspondent who writes to the Times on the subject of street improvements, signs at the end of his letter, "Please do not cast this aside; I only copy for public inspection;" "from a visitor to your city, through the interpretation of some L. A. citizens," is respectfully but firmly reminded of the rule that the name of the writer must accompany his screed to secure attention. The anonymous business won't work.

AMUSEMENTS.

Grand Opera House.—The Hanlons continue to draw full houses with their "Fantanas," which will easily bear seeing twice. The second act especially is replete with amusing and surprising episodes, which cannot fail to entertain the young and the old. The tableaux in that act are very artistic. The spottedness in the second and thirds act are very good. There will be a matinee on Saturday, to which all the good boys and girls in Los Angeles should be invited by their older and richer friends. It will be a treat they will not soon forget.

Gen. Miller's Funeral.

San Francisco Bulletin, March 16.]

Yesterday afternoon a meeting was held at the Chamber of Commerce by representatives of different military bodies, to make arrangements for the obsequies of the late Senator Miller. Gen. Barlow acted as Chairman until the arrival of W. L. Morry. Those present were ex-Gov. Low, L. Gerstle, Wilson T. Coleman, J. B. Stetson, W. J. Dimond, W. R. Smedberg and Walter H. Holmes.

On motion of J. B. Stetson, the arrangements made by George H. Thomas Post, G. A. R., were approved. This post will send to-morrow a detail of twenty men, selected from the different posts, to Reno, from which place they will act as military escort to this city. The remains will be received at the Oakland ferry landing by George H. Thomas and other posts of the Grand Army of the Republic, together with delegates of the Chamber of Commerce, Board of Trade and Manufacturers' Association. Escort will be given to the remains at the mortuary chapel at Trinity Church, Post and Powell streets, where they will lie in state until Sunday, at 2 o'clock p. m., the time set for the funeral.

A committee of fifteen from the commercial bodies of the city will leave at 7 o'clock on Friday morning next to meet the remains at San Pablo.

Gen. Dimond will have charge of the arrangements at the church and at the depot, and J. B. Stetson will have charge of the carriages.

It was decided that two gentlemen be selected from each of the bodies to be represented at the funeral to act as pallbearers, provided the same would be in accordance with the wishes of the family. Those selected from George H. Thomas Post were Gen. Dimond and Colonel of the Post Charles E. Wilson, the names of those representing the other societies to be added hereafter.

Gen. Smedberg and Gen. Dimond were appointed masters of ceremonies. The remains of General Miller arrived in San Francisco yesterday, 18th inst. [Gen. Times.]

BRIBERY.

Exposure of Rottenness in New York

IN REGARD TO THE BROADWAY RAILWAY.

Arrest of an Alderman Whose Price Was $20,000—Disclosures that Savor of the Days of Tweed.

Associated Press Dispatches to The Times.

NEW YORK, March 18.—Alderman Jachn was arrested at the City Hall today and taken at once to the police headquarters and charged with bribery. The charge does not rest on the testimony of one witness alone, but it is supported by that of two or three. Jachn was taken into one of the private rooms.

"The indictment against Alderman Jachn has been found but not filed," said District Attorney Martine this afternoon. The charge against him is that he received a bribe, in consideration for which he voted for granting a franchise to build a road in Broadway to the Broadway Surface Railroad Company after the resolution had been vetoed by the Mayor. The warrant for Jachn's arrest was issued by Judge Gildersleeve of the Court of General Sessions, upon affidavits furnished by Inspector Byrnes. He will be arraigned before Gildersleeve in a few minutes."

As soon as it became known on the street that Jachn had been arrested, politicians and aldermen by the dozen flocked to the City Hall. Mr. Martine, under direction of Judge Gildersleeve, ordered the papers for bail to be drawn up fixing the amount at $15,000. J. O. O'Donnell, who keeps a liquor store, was accepted as a bondsman. While papers were being drawn, Jachn sat smoking a cigar in the private office. He did not appear to feel very badly over his arrest and seemed to take it as a matter of course. He said that he did not want to talk to reporters about his arrest. Whatever he had to say he would be given out by him at the proper time.

The court-room was crowded when the alderman appeared and gave bail. The hearing was fixed for Monday afternoon. The arrest created a sensation, but this feeling gave way to one of astonishment when it became known later on that Jachn's confidence had been played by Inspector Byrne, and that he had furnished that city officer of the law complete details of the corruption in the Broadway railway franchise matter, not only so far as he himself was concerned, but also as to other members of the Board of Aldermen who sold themselves.

A STORY OF CORRUPTION.

Byrne, after relating the manner in which he obtained the confidence of Jachn, gives the following story of the final interview preceding his arrest: "Jaehn came on Wednesday, and in the course of an interview lasting for hours, he told me all about his share in the Broadway Railroad steal. I had two or my men posted where they could hear everything that was said without being seen. Jaehn said that he got $20,000 for his vote on the Broadway franchise. He told me how he got it and how much he had got for other railroad franchises, how the same were paid, and much more. He named other aldermen who had been bribed, and volunteered the information that three men who had invested in real estate or in business in which the money might show up, had inquiry, had, since the Senate investigation began, employed a certain lawyer to go over their books and fix them so that it would appear all right when their turn should come. He said who the lawyer was, but I am not going to tell you now. I shall not tell you either just what he said, and whom he implicated; that will appear in the proper season. Jachn said incidentally during the time we were at it things got much hotter he was going to skip the town. I presume he thought I was his good friend. I thought enough of him anyhow to have him looked after closely that night. Up to 10 o'clock this morning two detectives were on his track all the time. At that hour I made my report to the District Attorney and received a warrant for his arrest. While I was in Mr. Martines's, I saw Jachn going through the City Hall park followed by two detectives. I sent detective Reilly out with the warrant and they arrested Jachn and took him to police headquarters."

THE ALDERMEN ENJOINED.

Injunctions restraining the Board of Aldermen from passing the cable railway franchise over the Mayor's veto were granted to-day in the Supreme Court and Common Pleas Court. The papers declare that the Rapid Transit Commissioners appointed by the Mayor had no power to give an appropriation to any company to control the surface of the streets, so that the cable company had no legal existence, and that its certificate of incorporation is invalid, that the routes include streets already occupied by railroads, and also the traffic roads through Central Park, which the law prohibits from being used by railroads. The resolutions of the Board were passed without the public being given an opportunity to be heard, and a valuable franchise worth at least a million dollars was given away. It is asked that the resolutions be declared void and of no effect. William Remsen made affidavits asserting that the cable railway franchise is worth upwards of one million dollars in addition to two and a half per cent. of the gross receipts to the city. The city. The affidavit of George W. Birdsall, engineer of the Croton Aqueduct and engineer of the Department of Public Works, was also presented. He asserts that it will be impossible to prepare streets for the cable system without interfering with the pipes and sewers, and that in order to rearrange these pipes and sewers and mains in accordance with the cable system it will cost this city from two to five million dollars. The cable system will require two branches four feet wide and four and a half feet deep in each street. An affidavit corroborating these facts was also made by Robert L. Walters. The injunctions are made returnable next Monday.

XLIX CONGRESS—FIRST SESSION.

Senate.

WASHINGTON, March 18.—In the Senate, Mr. Cullom called up his motion to make the Interstate Commerce bill the special order for March 30th.

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. Hoar called up his motion of yesterday to make the Bankruptcy bill the special order for March 31st, saying, however, that he did not expect to antagonize the Interstate Commerce bill.

Mr. Hoar's motion was agreed to—yeas, 33; nays, 12.

The Senate passed the bill to remove the charges of desertion from the records of the Adjutant General of the army against soldiers who re-enlisted in the late war without having received a discharge from their first regiments, provided that the Secretary of War shall be satisfied that the re-enlistment was got to secure a bounty.

An Insane Woman's Bloody Deed.

CINCINNATI, March 18.—A short time ago Squire Bohrman, of Avondale, a suburb of Cincinnati, lost a suit involving $500. This so preyed upon the mind of his wife that it is supposed that she became deranged. This morning Bohrman heard a noise in his wife's bedroom, in which his sons also slept, and attempted to enter, but found the door locked. He forced an entrance, and found his wife dead, with her throat cut with a razor. His son, Albert, fourteen years old, was also dead, with his throat cut, and the other son, Arthur, was severely, if not fatally wounded.

A Despondent Distillery Suicides.

STOCKTON, March 18.—Louis Armbrust, whose distillery was recently seized, to-day shot himself, with a shotgun, fatally.

Snow at San Bernardino.

SAN BERNARDINO, Cal., March 18.—About 8 this morning it commenced snowing, and continued ten minutes. It was a strange sight to many who had never seen it snow but once before, which was in 1882.

NATIONAL NOTES.

Leverson's Petition for a Seat in Congress Dismissed.

WASHINGTON, March 18.—The House Committee on Elections to-day dismissed the petition of Montague Leverson and others asking that members of Congress from California be unseated on the ground that the State had been reapportioned, and that the members did not reside within their Congressional districts, and that they (Leverson et al.) be seated in their stead.

GEN. TERRY'S PROMOTION.

Among the confirmations to-day was that of Brigadier General Alfred H. Terry to be Major General.

A RAILWAY THROUGH INDIAN TERRITORY.

The Senate bill to grant a right of way for a railroad through land of the Choctaw and Chickasaw nations to the St. Louis and San Francisco Railroad Company and for other purposes, was reported favorably by the Committee on Indian Affairs.

THE CHINESE ON THE PACIFIC COAST.

O. L. Spaulding, special agent of the United States Treasury Department, sent to the Pacific Coast recently to investigate the violation of the Chinese restriction act, in his report to the Treasury Department, gives the following figures relating to the movement of Chinese: The number of departures from San Francisco for three years to August 1, 1885, was 32,441; number of departures from other Pacific States, 1881: total, 41,322; number of arrivals in San Francisco during the same period, 15,313; at other Pacific points, 4764; total, 20,077; number of Chinamen who have not returned, 21,245.

WHO IS SO?

SAN FRANCISCO, March 18.—The Chronicle's Washington special says that Congressman Barclay Henley stated that the Treasury Department knows who the guilty man is who stole $10,000 from the sub-treasury at San Francisco, but refuses to make his name public.

THE CALIFORNIA SENATORSHIP.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 18.—The Examiner's Washington special says: Gov. Stoneman telegraphed Congressman Henley to-day to know what the law or rule was in appointing to fill the Senatorial vacancy. Senator Sherman, to whom the matter was referred, said: "There is no time set. The Governor can appoint whenever he is satisfied that Senator Miller is dead."

THE PRESIDENTS BIRTHDAY.

The President is forty-nine years of age to-day. No celebration of the occasion was held at the White House, but this evening the President, accompanied by Miss Cleveland, Miss Van Vechten, and Colonel and Mrs. Lamont, attended the Mikado performance by the Emma Abbott Company at the New National theatre. The President and party occupied a private box, and upon their entrance were warmly applauded by the audience.

FROM THE ORIENT.

Chinese Warned to Stay at Home—Notes from Japan.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 18.—The steamer Oceanic arrived to-day with Hong Kong dates to February 23d and Yokohama to March 4th.

On February 24, previous to leaving Hong Kong for Yokohama, four of the crew of the United States war ship Trenton were sent ashore suffering from smallpox.

CHINESE WARNED TO STAY AT HOME.

The China Overland Mail of February 23d states that the following cablegram was received February 11th by the committee of the Lung Wah Hospital from the committee of the Chung Wa Hui Kun at San Francisco:

"We call your attention to the condition of the Chinese in the United States of America. Anti-Chinese riots are of frequent occurrence. Over five hundred thousand dollars of our property has already been destroyed. Many of our people are killed. Merchants are seriously injured. Great suffering and destitution prevail among the laboring classes. We request you to warn them. Her proclamation warning our people not to come to the United States. Also send a cable message to Li Hung Chang, Viceroy of Two Kwang, and to Ou Yue Tong, at Canton. We have cabled Tsung Li Yamen."

The information contained in the above has already been circulated as requested.

THE POPULATION OF JAPAN.

The last census of Japan makes the population of that empire 38,500,000.

THE MIKADO'S GRACEFUL ACT.

The Mikado has signified his intention of contributing $500 to the Grant monumental fund at New York, as a token of his respect for Gen. Grant, and has ordered that amount forwarded to the president of the committee.

WINTRY WEATHER.

Rain and Snow Reported to the Southward.

MERCED, Cal., March 18.—Rain fell here yesterday and last night partly mixed with snow, which melted quickly. A few miles east of Merced snow, slush and ice lay several inches deep at a late hour this morning. On the foothills, seven or eight miles east of Merced, the snow lay four inches deep. There is no report yet as to the effect upon fruit. Many fear that injury is done in places.

EUREKA, Nev., March 18.—This has been the stormiest day of the season. Over ten inches of snow has fallen, and, from present indications, the storm is not yet over. The prospects for plenty of feed on the ranges this summer are favorable.

VIRGINIA, Nev., March 18.—Snow fell to a depth of fifteen inches since last evening.

CENTERVILLE, Cal., March 18.—A very heavy frost followed the rain of yesterday. Fruit is only slightly damaged. The prospects are good for a good yield of grain and fruit.

SALINAS, Cal., March 18.—The mountains are covered with snow. It is clear and cold.

THE RATE WAR.

Huntington Buys Steamers to Compete with Pacific Mail.

CHICAGO, March 18.—A prominent local stock firm received a telegram today saying that Mr. Huntington has gone west, and declined all further negotiations in the transcontinental matter. He has bought four steamers, and will run them in active competition with Pacific Mail in the California coasting trade. A cut of $40 in passenger rates between New York and San Francisco is expected, and Pacific Mail say they will cut that rate in two if necessary. In a telegram to another firm President Crocker, of the Central Pacific, says that these steamers will be put on immediately.

A Railway Sold.

DENVER, March 18.—The New Orleans railroad was sold at auction this morning under foreclosure of the mortgage held by the first mortgage boudholders, J. Sidney Brown, Trustee for the Mercantile Trust Company, of Brooklyn, purchased the road for $3,117,358. It is generally understood that the sale is the first step in the reorganization of the road under the name of the Denver, Texas and Gulf, and will bring to an adjustment several negotiations for the extension of the road to a connection with the Fort Worth and Denver City railway at the Canadian river, giving a through line from here to New Orleans and Galveston.

Death of a Heroine.

SCITUATE, Mass., March 18.—Miss Abigail I. Bates died yesterday aged 89 years. She was one of the heroines of the war of 1812 drove the British forces from this harbor, by concealing themselves in the bushes and playing vigorously upon a fife and drum, thereby leading the enemy to believe that a larger force was ready to receive them.

Gold Exports—A Dividend.

NEW YORK, March 18.—One million five hundred thousand dollars in gold coin has been ordered for export.

The Oregon Navigation Directors yesterday declared a dividend of 1½ per cent., payable April 1. The books close March 20, and reopen April 2.

A Horsethief Captured.

SAN LUIS OBISPO, March 18.—Marshal Jewett has captured Frank Rivas, an ex-convict and notorious horsethief, wanted in several counties for grand larceny. He has eluded arrest for the past year.

SAN FRANCISCO.

Arrival of the Remains of Senator Miller.

MORE TESTIMONY AGAINST DR. BOWERS.

Chinese Urged to Go East—A Test Case—Death of Superintendent Ruggles—Funeral of James Irvine.

Associated Press Dispatches to The Times.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 18.—When the train bearing the remains of the late Senator Miller from Washington arrived at Colfax, they were formally transferred to the committee from San Francisco by Senator Jones, on behalf of the Senate and congressional committee. On their arrival here, under escort of the delegation and military and commercial organizations, the remains were taken to Trinity church mortuary chapel, where they will lie in state until the funeral on Sunday next.

TESTIMONY AGAINST DR. BOWERS.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 18.—In the Bowers' murder case to-day Dr. J. D. Hartley testified that from what he had observed when examining the body of Mrs. Bowers, he believed there was not sufficient cause of death from natural causes, and that deceased was poisoned with phosphorus.

LIEUTENANT GRATTON'S MONEY.

The case of George B. Warren, clerk of the Palace Hotel, charged with embezzling $1,000 which Lieutenant George W. Grayton had entrusted to him while the latter was in China, was dismissed to-day. It was shown in the testimony that the Lieutenant had sent the money as a gift to Warren. Subsequently, however, Graydon lost money, and asked Warren to refund the sum he had given him. This Warren could not do, as he had used the money.

FUNERAL OF JAMES IRVINE.

The funeral of James Irvine, the millionaire grocer, took place this afternoon from his late residence. A large number of friends followed the remains to Laurel Hill cemetary.

CHINESE URGED TO GO EAST.

Chinese printed cards are being issued giving information of low passenger rates to the East, and stating that although boycotted here the Chinese could get plenty of work in New York, Chicago, Boston and Washington.

A TEST CASE.

In the habeas corpus case of F. J. Baldwin and others, charged with expelling Chinese from Nicolaus, application was made by the prisoners for their release on the ground that they are unlawfully held, alleging section 5519 of the United States Revised Statutes to be unconstitutional. To make a test case, Baldwin was tried this afternoon, in the United States Circuit Court, and released on his own recognizance. The case was postponed until Saturday.

IMMIGRANTS FROM NEBRASKA.

A letter has been received by the Secretary of the State Board of Immigration from seventy-five farmers of Nebraska, who propose purchasing farms in California. A prominent stock-raiser of the same State says in a communication to the Secretary that he is desirous to transfer a large number of his neighbors from there to this coast, and writes to him to purchase 600 acres of land in a good locality.

SUPERINTENDENT RUGGLES DEAD.

Superintendent of Streets Ruggles, who was attacked with a stroke of paralysis in his office at the New City Hall yesterday, died from its effects at his home this morning.

ANTI-COOLIE BUTCHERS.

The pork packers of this city met tonight at Eintracht Hall, for the purpose of devising means for rescuing the monopoly in the pork trade from the Chinese butchers. About 200 butchers and pork packers were in attendance, and effected a temporary organization. A number of speeches were made, and all present advocated boycotting to its fullest extent. A committee of nine, chosen from the retail butchers, wholesale butchers and pork packers, was directed to meet at the call of the chair to confer as to the best method of boycotting the Chinese.

FOREIGN.

Gladstone and Chamberlain—Rioting at Manchester.

DUBLIN, March 18.—United Ireland, edited by William O'Brien, and partly owned by Parnell, says that Gladstone's land and Home Rule schemes are so closely knit together and dependent on each other that neither can stand alone. In proof of this United Ireland points to the fact that the landlords of Ireland, whom Gladstone proposes to buy out, by the very terms of appropriation bill are made unable to avail themselves of its enactment until an Irish legislature is established at Dublin to administer the bill. Mr. Chamberlain told a friend that Gladstone's Irish proposals would involve so complete a reparation that it was impossible to give any guarantee to the landlords, and that unless a method were found to greatly reduce the amount of the proposed payment he (Chamberlain) would not remain in the Cabinet.

Chamberlain conversed long and earnestly with Trevelyan in the House of Commons this afternoon, and afterward conferred privately with Lord Randolph Churchill.

RIOTING AT MANCHESTER.

MANCHESTER, March 18.—A number of unemployed workmen are becoming restless and disorderly. Several small mobs ran riot in the streets to-day, and threatened to attack jewelry stores and to loot shops generally. A few drapers' stores had their windows smashed.

A BISHOP MURDERED.

LONDON, March 18.—Official telegrams from Zanzibar confirm the recent report of the putting to death of Bishop Harrington by the King of Mombazo.

LABOR TROUBLES.

The Strike Nearly Ended—Interview with Powderly.

ST. LOUIS, March 18.—The general impression prevails here this morning that the Gould strike is nearing its end. The resumption in this city of suburban passenger traffic without interference from the strikers is looked upon as a hopeful sign, and the partial re-establishment of freight traffic at other points is regarded in the same light.

TO BE SUBMITTED TO THE COURT.

NEW ORLEANS, March 18.—Receiver Shieldon said this afternoon that he considered the strike on a fair way to its end. The receivers, he said, will not arbitrate, but if Hall submits his case to the United States Court and the Judge should decide that Hall was discharged without sufficient cause, then the receivers will reinstate him. If, after this, the strikers will not return to work, then the company will proceed, under the protection of the court, to carry on its business.

AN INTERVIEW WITH POWDERLY.

KANSAS CITY, March 18.—Mr. Powderly, when seen by an Associated Press reporter this evening, expressed a willingness to give the public any information in his possession so far as the interests of his mission permitted. He would say he said, probably be able to speak more definitely later in the evening regarding the proceedings of to-day. Replying to a question, Mr. Powderly said: "I had a desire to come upon the ground and learn the true inwardness of the strike and ascertain exactly the situation, as I could not do it at a distance of over 1000 miles. At the same time I received a request from the local order of Knights of Labor, themselves in conference, and endeavoring to secure a settlement of the matter at issue between the railroad officials and themselves. We have spent the day in consultation, but I cannot yet speak as to the result of our deliberations."

"Will you state whether you have opened communication with the Missouri Pacific officials?"

"I have not, but I am free to say that I intend to seek a conference to-morrow with Mr. Hoxie, and expect to leave tomorrow night for St. Louis if a meeting can be arranged."

STRIKERS BURNING BRIDGES.

MARSHALL, Tex., March 18.—A passenger train from St. Louis and one from the west are to meet here at 4 o'clock this afternoon. The St. Louis train arrived, and the one from the west was momentarily expected, it having left Hallsville thirteen miles out, on time. At ten minutes after 4 a telegram was received stating that bridge No. 711, seven miles east of this place, was burned down, and that another was burning. A wrecking train loaded with bridge timbers, bridge men, bloodhounds and United States Marshals left immediately for the scene of the conflagration. Marshal Reagan offers $1000 reward for the arrest and conviction of the persons implicated in the burning of the bridges. He says that he will have sixty more deputies here to-morrow and will run the road if he has to place one at every bridge.

SHOCKING.

A Child Stolen by Gypsies and Frightfully Tortured.

GREENVILLE, O., March 18.—Coro Green, a pretty fourteen-year-old girl, who escaped last Sunday from John McVey and his two female companions, relates a horrible story of her treatment. She says that she was kidnapped from her home near Lebanon, Ind., over a year ago, and was compelled to travel about the country with gypsies. McVey, she says, shot her in the head, kicked her, cut her on the body with a hatchet, beat her with a club, flogged her with a buggy whip and outraged her person. He also drove a nail through her foot, fastening her to a board and swung her up to a wagon box. The marks of the girl's wounds are still plainly visible. Her parents have been communicated with, and they will arrive here in a day or two. McVey and his two companions disappeared as soon as they learned of the girl's escape.

A Coal Request.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 18.—Ellis & Co., of Phœnix, A. T., who failed some three weeks ago, and made a statement to their creditors showing that their assets amounted to $1.30 for every $1 of their liabilities, are now circulating a paper here asking their creditors to accept forty cents on the dollar, with notes to run twelve months.

GAS OR OIL.

Indications in the 950-foot Mesmer Well.

Operations will probably re-commence this morning on the sinking of L. Mesmer's well in the United States Hotel yard, some delay having been caused by the wearing out of the drill in the gritty sandstone which is now being pierced. In a talk with a TIMES reporter last night, Mr. Hammil, of the United States Hotel said: "The well must now be down from 900 to 950 feet, though it has not recently been measured. I am sure it must reach 1000 feet. The present rate of boring is 20 to 25 feet a day. They have been working on the well, off and on, for the last eight months. Mr. Mesmer started the well for artesian water, but I told him at the time that I believed he would strike gas or oil before I did water—and I believe he will. The other day they struck a vein of brackish water—not a flow—with some gas. They did light the gas, but it soon died out. I firmly believe that by going deeper they will strike oil or gas. That is from my knowledge of the lay of the land. Down on our ranch we have the gas and oil oozing out of the surface. We can dip up the oil in a can. Therefore we are Pennsylvania parties who have leased 500 acres of the Brea rancho from Mrs. Hancock and have their machinery on the ground. I expect they will get to oil or gas within sixty days."

WHO'S A LYNAMITER?

Giant-Powder Cartridges Found Near the Central School.

Last evening Martin, the six or seven-year-old son of J. W. Turner of 20 North Fort street, was walking along New High street, in front of the new jail site. Just where the path starts up to the schoolhouse he found seven giant powder cartridges wrapped in a piece of paper. He went and told his father, who notified the police; and Officer Cooney and a TIMES reporter went to the spot. The cartridges, which were Hercules No. 2, were clean and dry, and had evidently been put there but a very short time before they were found. Officer Cooney took them to the police station for safe-keeping. It is surmised that they were for use in some safe-blowing job.

Manufacturers' Association.

A small but earnest meeting of the Los Angeles Manufacturers' Association was held in the association hall last evening. In April it was voted to invite the Manufacturers of the Flower Festival Society to display the association's collection of raw materials, etc., was accepted, and M. E. Lewis, John Hall and Sutherland Hutton were appointed a committee to take charge of the matter.

For the next meeting (third Thursday in April) it was voted to invite the following gentlemen to address the association: Mr. Loew, of the Capitol Milling Company, on the manufacture of flour; Mr. Barnard, of Barnard & Benedict, on the crystallization of fruit; and Mr. Nadt, on the manufacture of soaps and insecticidal sprays.

Holmes & Scott and Will D. Gould were admitted to membership in the association.

The "Fantasma" Prize.

The Opera House managers have appointed G. A. Dobinson, Wm. A. Spalding and Frank A. Gibson judges in the schoolchildren's contest for a $10 prize for the largest number of English words constructed from the word "Fantasma." To-day is the last day on which lists can be handed in. The award will be announced at the matinee to-morrow.

Jewish Entertainment.

The members of the Jewish congregation, B'nai Brith, will give an entertainment and social at Nadeau Hall, Saturday evening next, under the direction of Prof. L. Loeb.

OH, MY!

Miss Rose Elizabeth Cleveland on a Bust.

SHE DEFINES ITS ANATOMICAL LIMITS.

The Modest Mean Which the Lady of the White House Finds Between Ears and Bust.

Associated Press Dispatches to the Times.

NEW YORK, March 18.—A Boston special says: Miss Cleveland has been sharply criticized for encouraging at the White House immodest dressing in society. A lady here has received a letter from Miss Cleveland in response to a note of inquiry on the subject, in which she says:

"I am very glad you have spoken to me about this matter. Newspaper statements with regard to my immodest dressing and its influence in encouraging a scarcity of waist and sleeves in other women's dresses have been sent to me several times, with accompanying comment, but always anonymously signed. I should hardly feel a true respect for a person whom I believed to be doing what the newspaper slip represents me to be doing, namely, using the brief prominence of my position to encourage habits in dress which are subversive of whatsoever things are pure, lovely, honest and of good report. Such, I believe, the immodest dress of a few society women to be, and against such immodesty I have made that silent protest which it is every woman's right and duty to make by having my own dress waist in a style which, so far as modesty is concerned, I should feel quite willing to have any woman to whom this style of dress is becoming and comfortable follow. I approve of an evening dress which shows the neck and arms, but I do not approve of any dress which shows the bust. Between neck and bust there is a line always to be drawn, and it is as clear to the most frivolous society woman as to the anatomist, but this line need never to be passed, and the fashionable woman's low-neck evening dress need never be immodest. If it is so, it is because she prefers it to be so. The American woman can wear the waist of her evening dress upon the lobes of her ears if she likes. There is no queen to command her to appear in a low corsage. She can so contrive her dress that by the exposure of her person all true, all social, ethics and esthetics as well are revolted. Between the two there is an appropriate, beautiful and modest mean, which all can, if they will, follow."

ALMOST.

Burglars Who Came Close to a Big Haul.

Night before last a very nervy burglary was committed on L. E. Mosher's downtown Southern Pacific Railroad office. The crack gentry have taken due note of the coin and greenbacks that have been piling up in the office during the rush of war; and felt the persimmon worth a pretty long pole. In the early morning hours they got around back of the building, and pried open the door with a big file, a piece of which was broken off in the operation. The door itself was ironclad, but the soft redwood jamb

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ENLARGED SHEET

FRIDAY, MARCH 19, 1886.

A Strong Literary Attraction.

THE TIMES has made arrangements with the successful newspaper syndicate conducted by Mr. S. S. McClure, of 140 Nassau street, New York, to publish, during the succeeding fifteen or twenty weeks,

A Serial Story of Western Life.

"JEAN MCCLURE."

By Fallence Stapleton, author of "The Major's Christmas and Other Stories."

This story will be published in the LOS ANGELES TIMES in about fifteen installments of 4000 or 5000 words each, beginning to-morrow, March 20.

The author, Mrs. Stapleton, is the wife of the editor of the Denver News. Her stories first attracted the attention of the late James T. Field. She won a prize of $250 from the Youth's Companion for the second best story for girls in the competition in which Frank R. Stockton and E. W. Thomson took first prizes. Her work has appeared in the Continent, Youths' Companion and in the syndicate. Last winter appeared a volume of stories from her pen entitled "The Major's Christmas and Other Stories." The qualities displayed in this volume of humor, pathos and dramatic power are characteristic of her new serial. Speaking of her stories, the St. Louis Republican says:

"Although the peer of Dickens is still in the future, we now and then discover works which display touches reminding us of his master hand. In the work of Mrs. Patience Stapleton is found much of that simplicity of conception, that knowledge of folk-lore and of life among the lowly which characterized the great English novelist. Without pretension and without apparent effort, she finds the directest pathway to the human heart, and enters that abode of care and sorrow without knocking. With infinite tenderness she touches the chords of the reader's heart and wins applause in the form of a flood of tears; tears, not of sorrow, but of that thrilling ecstacy which Bob Cratchett felt when he looked across his humble board one Christmas night and saw that Tiny Tim was happy."

The novel is written in twenty-three chapters.

The following summary of the first two chapters will give an idea of the plot:

CHAPTER I.—In 1858 a wealthy Ohio man, Judge Wallace, crosses the plains with his family, consisting of one daughter, Miss Virginia, her maid, Rose McCord, his sons, Dwight and George, his hired man, Tom Brooks (lover of Rose McCord), and Roy MacDonald (son of a Scotch lady and lover of Miss Virginia). Rose tells the Judge of his daughter's love for Roy; the Judge furiously dismisses Roy and closely watches Virginia. He builds a mansion across the Platte from Denver. Virginia has many lovers, but refuses them all. Roy returns. Rose promises to befriend Virginia and "Down the hills through the starlit darkness, Virginia went to her fate and like a Nemesis, unlike as evil's shadow Rose McCord followed close behind."

CHAPTER II.—A secret marriage. An old minister marries Virginia and Roy; Rose secures the certificate of marriage; it can be found afterwards; the aged minister dies in a few days, and no legal record is left of the ceremony, and Rose does not explain. In a week Roy leaves for Washington for the front, the war having broken out. Virginia fails in health. At a party given by the Judge, a guest asks, "Your da'ter hain't a married woman, is she?" This sets the Judge a thinking; he calls Rose. She conceals part and tells part (previously Rose had written to Roy MacDonald); a terrible scene ensues. The Judge's son Dwight returns home at this juncture. He rides at once to Denver. Roy arrives from the front, having received Rose's letter. He rushes to Virginia's room, the Judge appears, dies in a fit. Dwight returns, shoots Roy. Roy's revolver goes off and Dwight falls. All three are dead at Virginia's feet. She falls ill, a baby is born, spirited away. Virginia is told that it is dead. This baby is "Jean McClure," although that fact is concealed until the very end.

The succeeding thirteen chapters, "Without Judge or Jury," "Desperation Gulch," "Will Becomes a Cowboy," etc., etc., etc., are replete with the stirring life of the mines near Pike's Peak, Denver, etc., during the first twenty years after 1858. The story has a capital and absorbing plot. The sympathy of the reader is aroused from the beginning, and the interest never flags. It is one of the most genuine and powerful stories of Western life ever written. It is true to life, and the local coloring of the story is perfect. It is full of genuine human interest. It is full of human pathos, tragedy and go. The characters are well defined and lovable, or disagreeable, in a story way.

The story is capitally told, and has been placed by the popular syndicate, through which we have received it, only in the Chicago Inter-Ocean and the LOS ANGELES TIMES. The Inter-Ocean praises the story highly, and will make it one of its principal literary attractions for the coming few months. Its publication will commence in the TIMES to-morrow. It will also appear in the WEEKLY MIRROR. Let our readers, and many new ones, look out for it.

THE United States Senate now contains forty Republicans, two Readjusters who vote with the Republicans, and thirty-four Democrats. The impending change, caused by the death of Senator Miller, whose place is to be filled by a Democrat, will leave the Republicans only thirty-nine and give the Democrats thirty-five.

THE religious nature of Boston is exemplified in the readiness with which an audience of three thousand people paid Parson Downs a dollar apiece to hear him tell how he whipped an ungodly reporter. The parson won't Down.

Our Dead Senator.

All that is mortal of California's upright Senator will soon be laid in the grave. His work is done, but the influence of his life-deeds will live on. An honorable citizen, a patriot-soldier, a wise statesman, his record is one of which the State of his adoption may well be proud. As a self made man, Senator Miller was a noble example to the young men of California who are just coming upon the stage of action. His life should be to them an encouragement to noble efforts and persistent endeavor. They should learn from it that however humble a man's antecedents may be, that with strict integrity, persistent effort and laudable ambition, no position of honor or trust need be deemed beyond their reach. Possessing these traits of character, almost any man of intellectual force may make himself a leader among men, and like our dead Senator leave his impress upon the age in which he lives.

Though dead, this brave soldier and statesman still speaks, and the voice from his grave is, "Young man, be true to yourself; be true to the right; be steadfast in endeavor; aim high and push on, and you shall achieve renown and honor. The true man is mightier than circumstances, and with unyielding principle and unwavering determination to aid you, no obstacle is too great to be overcome, no laudable ambition is too high to be beyond your reach."

Lay him to rest! "He is not dead, but sleepeth."
"He needs no tears who lived a noble life;
We will not weep for him who died so well."

Remarks to Correspondents.

The TIMES has been giving a lot of correspondents a chance to have their lick at the prolific Chinese question. There is just about so much of this sort of thing that has to be projected at the patient public, and we put these papers into the hopper and run them through like so much crude ore in the mill. We aim to give all sides a hearing, but we must ask correspondents to be brief. Life is very, very short, and there is a limit to the capacity of newspaper columns. No correspondent should make the mistake of keeping his able and industrious pen a-going after he has finished his "say." When that important tide in his literary affairs comes rolling in, he should take it at the flood and mount to its top like a naked KANAKA riding a Pacific breaker. He (the correspondent, not the Kanaka) should proceed to spread the excited progress of his runaway pen-steed; he should have said throw him as soon as he gets done using the beast. Men and brethren afflicted with that dreadful disease, *cacoethes scribendi*, (which in plain United States means literary diarrhœa,) the way to stop is to stop. Take a strong decoction of white-oak bark.

We are not so particular as to what correspondents say, if they but say it well and make it short, sharp and marrowy. Don't go out of your way to make a detour around the bark of Mr. R. Hood, when there is a more direct and nearer road to your literary destination. Cut it short, boil it down. Shoot at a mark, and shoot close. Be brief, give us something with other fellows a chance, and the patient but overworked editor will rise up from his nail-keg, throw his visor back, and in brevier italic will call you blest. Otherwise, your painful and laborious literary construction will fail to see the light. The TIMES is this very minute loaded down to the gunwales with a mass of matter that is in deep danger of getting "left." We have a pork barrel full of it, all headed up and labeled, and have just commenced to fill a molasses hogshead with rejected manuscripts and communications "waiting for a chance."

Some of the esteemed correspondents to whom we have surrendered space recently to discuss the Mongolian matter rather take to the boycott business. They have their day in court (and also in the newspaper, which is the popular tribunal), and must not insurrect when the statesmen who occupy the benches of the opposition spring to their feet, yell "Mr. Speaker!" and demand to be heard. Both sides must be given a chance to settle this thing, each in its own way, and the previous-question gag shall not be rammed down the throats of either the gentlemen from China or the statesmen from Bohemia, through our columns.

THE citrus belt of California seems to be gradually enlarging, and with the ripening of an orange crop the spirit of self-complacency and rivalry takes hold of these new sections and they are ready to make sacrifices to build themselves up by decrying other sections where the culture of the orange has been long and successfully tested. The Santa Maria valley, in Santa Barbara county, has entered the arena of orange cultivation, and calmly announces that in the not distant future the noblest citrus orchards of the State will be located within its limits. The Santa Maria Times arises, and, with its strong right arm hurls this terrible blow at Los Angeles: "The oranges here raised are especially renowned for flavor, much sweetness and of a richer color than Los Angeles fruit." Go ahead, Santa Maria; do your best, and when you beat her, Los Angeles will be ready to stand from under, and yield you the palm.

Pasadena.

Pasadena Union.]

Pasadena is to have a gas and electric light company at once, taking in Mr. Williams's plant, which is to be bought out. Liberal subscriptions for patronage have been made.

A gentleman who has figured it up informs us that the real estate sales of Pasadena for three days, including the school lot sale and the Santa and Sheldon tracts, aggregated one *hundred and one thousand dollars!* Maybe some other little town would like to show up her record alongside of this.

Abbot Kinney's oranges, so far as heard from Saturday, had sold in the East at a price netting over $3 a box on the tree. This is something worth working for, and is a result richly deserved by Mr. K., whose trees and fruit are as bright and clean as the sunlight reflected on the golden globes. Mr. K. follows the co-operative system of working his ranch, employing only white labor and giving them a share of the profits, and attributes much of his success to this mutually advantageous relation of capital and labor.

High License.

Chicago Journal.]

The New York political Prohibitionists are predicting that the proposed high-license legislation in that State will be a failure. Wherever high license has been fairly tested, it has reduced the number of saloons, lessened intemperance, promoted reforms, increased the public revenues, while decreasing the burdens of the taxpayers, and has gained the support of good citizens generally. In the eyes of partisan extremists and mere political cranks the grand results may be styled a failure. People of ordinary candor and intelligence, however, will regard them as something like a success.

Gloomy Days.

New York Sun.]

Tramp: Are you a Grand Army man?

Gentleman: Yes.

Tramp: Could you help a poor fellow who lost his leg during the war?

Gentleman (giving him ten cents): What regiment did you belong to?

Tramp: Not any, sir. I was run down by a beer wagon a day or two after the battle of Fair Oaks. Those were gloomy days, sir.

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

COMPTON.

"THE FLOWERS THAT BLOOM IN THE SPRING, TRA LA."

Correspondence of the TIMES.

COMPTON, March 17.—We have been having a little frost of late, but now Semi-Trop has reappeared, and everything is lovely.

Vegetation of all kinds is making a wonderful growth.

The willow groves are all leaved out, and the air is made fragrant with the perfume from the blossoms.

Fruit trees are in blossom, while ripe strawberries can be seen on the vines, and in the latter case it has been so all this season.

Mr. Nickols, west of town, on the mesa, is preparing to put out fifty acres of grapes for raisins.

Milton Thomas, the nurseryman, has bought 150 acres of this mesa, near Mr. Nickols, and is planting forty acres of vines, and forty acres of bluegrass.

Mr. Horgan, in the same vicinity, is planting 4000 gum trees. This soil is well adapted to the growth of gum trees, and it has been proven by actual experience to be first-class vine land. Vines are raised without irrigation, producing grapes of fine quality. A few years ago this land was supposed to be good for nothing but sheep pasture. Now it is occupied mostly by grain fields, and a few years hence it will be a vast vineyard.

Our new schoolhouse is inclosed, and the painters are at work. It is a good building, and will speak a good word for our people to strangers passing. It appeared in print in my last letter as costing $1500. It should read $4500.

Work has commenced in earnest on our roads, and we have a prospect for good roads. By being worked early, the damp soil packs very hard and smooth.

The Compton division of the Sons of Temperance hold their meetings in Odd Fellows's Hall, every Tuesday evening. Six new members joined on the 16th inst.

One of Mr. Harris's children is very sick with scarlet fever.

A social will be held in the M. E. Church on Thursday evening, the 18th, for the purpose of everybody getting acquainted with everybody else.

Messrs. Sessions & Bigelow of Cleveland, Ohio, have purchased a tract of land about two miles north of town, and have commenced the erection of buildings. They now have erected a boarding house for the hands, and will build a large cheese factory with improved apparatus and machinery. From appearance they will have a little town of their own when through building.

A. P. Bently has purchased from Darby & Lyman a portion of lot 2, block 4, with the building. Price, $600.

COMPTON, March 18, 6:30 a. m.—It commenced to rain yesterday evening before dark and has kept it up all night and still at it in good earnest; considerable hail now falling. A singular feature of last night's rain was the absence of darkness during the hardest. It was so light that one could see the houses very plainly all round the neighborhood. G. A. M.

ALHAMBRA—SAN GABRIEL.

THE CODFISHER'S BUDGET.

Correspondence of the TIMES.]

SAN GABRIEL, Thursday, March 18.—The school district question still continues its unsavory existence. Mr. Hinton's action was quick enough before; the minority has no more rights now than it had then. As long as the fight is kept up, the children have not even a decent place to go to school in. Give us a rest and a school.

Alhambra's depot is coming; at least, a castopied platform for travelers' accommodation is what is proposed.

A gentleman who knows whereof he speaks recently pronounced some 75 cents a gallon, San Gabriel-made claret equal to Bordeaux at $3 per gallon.

The white scale has lost its exciting aspect of a few months ago, but it is just as much an unsolved danger as ever. Eternal vigilance is the price all orchardists must pay for safety, and even then they may get left.

Our ladies snap their little fingers at the idea of boycotting the Chinaman and say they shall *not* go, which decides the thing. Really, when the matter resolves itself into cooking your own dinner or going without, the best thing to do is—keep on having John cook it for you.

F. Q. Storey's project of opening Garfield avenue through to Pasadena, and making a boulevard out of it to Long Beach, should meet with the earnest support of all property owners along the proposed line. Mr. Bacon, do not jump into the fire at this news. You are not in any frying pan yet, but you ought to be if you do not give a liberal right-of-way.

Mr. Ellwood, late of Topeka, Kas., has opened a fully-equipped drug store on the Alhambra. Mr. Ellwood is a competent druggist, and comes well recommended.

Station Agent Burke, it is reported, will soon occupy Mrs. Slosson's house, near the depot.

Messrs. Torrance & Funk have opened a hay-yard in connection with their other business at the depot.

Her hosts of friends and clients will deeply regret the fact that Mrs. Morton is about to resign her position as postmistress at San Gabriel. Her successor will have a hard row to hoe, as Mrs. Morton's one fault, accommodativeness, is a quality rarely possessed by an official. Peter Allen, Esq., is spoken of for the vacancy. It is understood Mrs. Morton will have the position of Station Agent at Lamanda Park.

As a result of getting drunk in the Mission, John Doe, of Pasadena, was, last Tuesday, rewarded with thirty days in the county jail. A. O. S.

COVINA.

THE CITRUS INDUSTRY BOOMING.

Correspondence of the TIMES.]

COVINA, March 15, 1886.—In a recent issue of the Record-Union there appeared a statement to the effect that more orange trees would be dug out this season in Southern California than would be planted. To show the falsity of such a statement, as regards the Azusa at least, your correspondent took the trouble last week to canvass this section and ascertain the number of acres to be planted and the number of acres that would probably be dug out. There will not be any groves destroyed in this locality, while up to the above date there has been 210 acres planted, fifty acres more that will be planted as soon as the ground and condition of trees are just right, with fifty acres more that will be set in May if good clean stock can be had, making a grand total of 310 acres for the season, and not a tree to be destroyed. There has been about 50 acres of grape vines dug up and the ground reset with orange trees. The Washington Navel leads in this year's plant, probably ten to one of any other variety. If the other orange-producing localities will report their plant for the year, the probabilities are that we can show our northern friends that we are just getting in earnest, and are still in our infancy regarding the acreage of this valuable product in the "*Southern Citrus Belt.*" Of course we must now add a "*Northern Citrus Belt.*"

The article referred to in the Record Union would lead those who are not posted to conclude that Southern California had yielded the palm to the northern counties of the State since their citrus exhibit at Sacramento, and were going out of the business, but if your correspondents in other localities will do as your correspondent at Covina has done, and canvass their districts, the picture will have a different appearance.

The weather, since the last rain, has been all that we could wish it to be. The ground is in splendid condition for spring crops.

Citrus Cove Nursery has had to turn customers away who came from abroad, so as to supply the home demand for clean trees. D. U. P.

ORANGE.

ACTIVITY IN FRUIT SHIPMENTS, ETC.

Correspondence of the TIMES.]

ORANGE, March 18.—Weather cloudy, with signs of more rain.

The present low freights have caused our shippers to rush raisins, dried fruits and similar productions to Eastern markets as fast as possible.

The ladies of Orange are preparing to make a display at the Los Angeles Floral Fair, worthy of the many fine flower gardens in this section.

Mr. Karnes, for over three years a faithful and efficient employé of the Santa Ana Valley Ditch Company, has been engaged as superintendent of the Anaheim ditches.

The Directors of the Anaheim Water Company came over Tuesday and thoroughly inspected the ditches of the S. A. V. I. Co. They expressed themselves as well pleased with the way in which the ditches were kept, and their present condition.

Miss E. M. Abbott, who has been spending the winter with friends in Los Angeles and Santa Barbara counties, started for Traver this morning.

Lots are being laid off and streets opened in the embryo town of Modena. A.

SILK CULTURE.

Announcement of the State Board of Silk Culture.

The following has been received by the TIMES:

The State Board of Silk Culture is importing a cultivated variety of mulberry which yields a large quantity of foliage. The foliage is of a very nutritious quality, as the tree does not bear fruit, all the nutritive quality goes to the leaves. A quantity of those trees will be distributed to persons or families intending to take up the silk industry. Also a quantity of silk-worm eggs will be distributed to those having food to feed the worms with. The State Board will purchase the cocoons after the chrysalis has been stifled, at $1.40, $1.25 and $1.00 per pound, according to quality.

Parties wishing mulberry trees or silk-worm eggs, will please send their address to the State Board of Silk Culture, 21 Montgomery avenue, San Francisco, and the trees or eggs will be forwarded to their address, the parties receiving the same to pay express charges. When not otherwise advised, the State Board will ship the eggs by express via Wells, Fargo & Co.. Respectfully,

MRS L. RIENZI, Secretary.

COMING IN.

List of the Raymond Excursion Due Saturday.

Following is the list of the Raymond & Whitcomb excursion, due here Saturday, by the regular express, in two Pullmans: Luther L. Holden and Geo. H. Ellis, both of Boston, are in charge:

Mrs. Minnie B. Atchison, Onarga, Ill.; Miss C. W. Barnes, William Barnes and wife, Albany; F. E. Boothby and wife, Portland, Me.; Col. W. A. R. Boothby, Waterville, Me.; Dr. John Buck and wife, Chelsea, Mass.; Otis Cobb, Campello, Mass.; John H. Connolly, Woburn Centre, Mass.; Miss S. Du L. F. Cooper, Albany; Miss Mattie E. Ellis, Boston; S. P. Gardner and wife, Haverhill, Mass.; Miss C. A. Holmes, Boston Highlands, Mass.; A. L. Kimball and wife, Haverhill, Mass.; G. B. Lancaster and wife, Bangor, Me.; Miss Grace H. Learned, Miss Mabel Learned, Hon. W. L. Learned and wife, Albany; T. T. Maxwell, Boston; John H. McCall and wife, Leicester, England; Miss Mary T. Palmer, Roxbury, Mass.; David T. Percy and wife, Bath, Me.; Miss M. C. Porter, West Newton, Mass.; Miss E. Shaw, Boston; Mrs. A. A. Sirout, Portland, Me.; F. H. Taylor and wife, New York; Mrs. Thurston, Chicago; Dwight Tuxbury and wife, Windsor, Vt.; Mrs. Geo. F. Williams, Boston.

The Flower Festival.

Those who attended the concert at the Tabernacle on Tuesday evening will recognize the necessity of decoration to transfer that immense expanse of rough redwood into a bower of beauty, and they will readily appreciate the magnitude of the work that has been undertaken by the courageous ladies who have determined to accomplish this result. All who have material suitable for the purpose should be ready to respond to the call for it, in great quantities, and there is no danger that too much will be received. All who have ivy or ivy-geranium are urged to send it in on Friday, the 26th, and those having calla lilies, verbenas and geraniums should send them on Monday, the 29th.

There will be a young ladies' day during the course of the festival, when the exhibit will be left in their hands, and thus its attractions will be magnified. The children from the orphan homes will be invited to attend in a body, and it is planned to give one day up to the other little folks who will be admitted for a small fee.

Apples from Minnesota.

Porter Bros. & Co. received, yesterday, the first car of apples ever brought from Minnesota to this coast.

They are Baldwins, Russets, Wine Saps, etc., and other well known varieties, and have the true Eastern flavor that all remember well. They were shipped by J. A. Shea, of Minneapolis, who recently spent some time in the southern part of this State. They came over the Union and Southern Pacific, and were only ten days on the road.

The Future of Colton and San Bernardino.

San Bernardino Times.]

We have heard rumors to the effect that the Pennsylvania Central Railroad, the Rio Grande and several other roads, intended to remove their headquarters to Colton. We are pleased to record the probability of our neighbor's advancement. There is still enough in the land to go around. Colton can be the great railroad center of the earth; then Riverside shall be the county-seat, since that is her ambition; and San Bernardino—well, she must have something in the general scramble, so we will make her the national capital. There are numerous good reasons why this should be. Some day the United States will overgrow herself, and we shall be compelled to annex the Sandwich Islands and Mexico; we may also scoop in Australia and a few other outlying posts; we already have Alaska. When this occurs, of course San Bernardino will be centrally situated and the easiest attainable point for our statesmen from the various outlying districts to reach. Of course, we shall in that day be interminable between Alaska on the north, Colombia on the south, the Sandwich Islands on the west, America on the east, and everywhere else in general; consequently, San Bernardino being the central, will be the most convenient point for the National Capital. In addition to this great advantage which we possess over the rest of Southern California, we have in common with her soil, climate, society, etc. To further accommodate the statesmen who shall come to our legislative halls from points reachable by sea, we should dredge out the Santa Ana river, and this can be done by Act of Congress, or joint resolution, and the largest ocean steamers could then sail up to the doors of the capitol. We might also have an international custom house located at San Bernardino, for we do not desire to be niggardly in the bestowal of our favors. Yale and Harvard we will combine and locate at Crafton, while Lugonia, Redlands, and all the other settlement shall come in for their share. And all this and more, shall happen when Colton gets the machine shops of the C. S. R. R. and becomes the largest town between Los Angeles and Tucson.

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The Mayor and the Water Rates.

To the Editor of the Times—SIR: The poor people of this city ought to be very much encouraged now that our worthy Mayor has come to the front and shown a disposition to protect us in our rights and prevent the enactment of laws that would discriminate against us. I can assure his efforts in our behalf are duly appreciated, and we desire to think that we have one, at least, among the municipal government who will "stand in" for us. His scheme for vetoing the gas ordinance and his desire to pursue the same course in regard to the ordinance regulating water rates, in which we are also vitally interested, are about as clear as the water we are compelled to use after it is settled. As he cited an instance when, in his opinion, the new ordinance would discriminate against us, allow me to cite the same. I live on the side of a small house which I presume the Mayor would term a "shanty," which rent at $200. It is situated on a lot 35 feet front by 120 feet in depth. My family consists of myself, wife and one child. I have a hydrant to which I attach a hose for washing windows and sprinkling the walk. I have a lawn, two shrubbery, no bath tub, nor am I connected with the sewer. Under the old ordinance the rate for my house was $6. My neighbor across the way has an elegant cottage, costing not less than $16,000; a lot 60 feet front by 165 feet in depth, one-half of which is a lawn. He probably uses more water in one day during the summer months than I use in a month, and yet the *rate* was the same. Under the new ordinance the rate for tenement houses ranged from a single family $1.50, including *bath* and *water-closet*. When sewers are constructed the law makes no distinction between the rich and the poor. All alike must connect with the sewer. Under the new ordinance I can have a bath-tub in my house and connect my water closet with the sewer without any extra charge for water; besides, I am not compelled to pay for the water used by my neighbor in sprinkling his lawn, as there is a distinction made between those who have lawns and those who do not. Now if this discriminates against the poor, I say, gentlemen of the Council, go on with your discrimination. We will stand for it a few months longer.

As the old ordinance regulating the use of water has not been changed for the last three years, and as Mr. Spence has been Mayor for nearly half of the time, and must have known that a particular feature of that ordinance to which he calls attention in his veto message viz: the *frontage* of a lot, and not the area, has governed the rate all of that time, it *seems* to me just a *little queer* that he has not looked after our interests a little sooner. True, he has several times suggested that the telephone rates ought to be reduced, and the only reason I can see why he has not recommended the same course in regard to gas and water rates is that he had "no time" to give those matters "proper investigation."

ONE OF THE POOR.

Letter from a Poor Man.

To the Editor of the Times—SIR: I see in Friday's TIMES that the preachers of this city have come out openly in favor of the Chinese. I hope they have carefully and prayerfully considered the consequence of this act. It is an act of hostility to the laboring classes, and will probably cause many children to be withdrawn from the Sunday schools. Ministers may deem it a trivial cause for withdrawing children from public worship, but what man wants to countenance or pay money to those who are working against him? The religious element is lamentably small among the working men anyway, and this course, if persisted in, will make them open enemies of preachers and the church. This contingency is one much to be regretted, and ministers should pause before denouncing the laboring men as conspirators and traitors. How many of them would patiently submit if they were turned out of their pulpits and Chinese put in their places? Let them reflect that white men have livings to make and souls to be saved, as well as Chinamen.

POOR MAN.

Cheaper Coal.

San Diego Sun.]

Coal is one of the staple articles of consumption in this seaport town. At present it ranges all the way from twelve to fifteen dollars per ton in small lots, but a single quantities is handled on a very narrow margin. All our coal comes from Australia. Ships loaded with coal for this port have heretofore been compelled frequently to return in ballast, but a change in the carrying business—principally lumber and wheat, for the Australian market—will enable them to make the return trip profitable. Hence the best ship with coal for Mr. Larsen, which is expected some time in June, will lay coal down at this point at least two dollars a ton cheaper than she heretofore delivered here. This should have a revivifying effect upon our local manufactures, and will materially reduce the expenses of the four mills the gas company, the electric light company and the water company. Whether it will stimulate to life any new manufactures remains an open question.

An Old Friend.

The San Diego Sun of the 16th says:

"Mrs. Annie Wood, for disturbing the peace and quietness of one of our hotels on Sunday, was yesterday sentenced to the county jail for a short term of days. The accommodations for ladies are very meagre there."

Can this be our old friend "Mother Wood," of the inveterate crank and vice-blithing beat, whom nearly every issue of rentable rooms in Los Angeles furnishes? Her favorite alias was "Mrs. Annie Wood," and she was whipped out of the city some months ago. Poor San Diego!

What Geronimo Wants.

New York Graphic.]

Chief Geronimo refuses the terms of general surrender offered him by General Crook, and very justly. The General ought to give him a dozen bones and a guarantee that he shall have twenty acres of land for every murder he committed during his last raid.

Getting to be the Way.

San Diego Sun.]

Charley Miles, the Los Angeles County Recorder who embezzled about $11,000 of the county's money, made confession in open Court this week and was discharged from custody. That is going to be the popular way. Juries soon be saying—You are guilty, but a good fellow; go, and sin no more.

FINANCE AND TRADE.

Stocks and Bonds.

By Telegraph to The Times.

NEW YORK, March 18.—Government bonds moderately active and weak, especially coupon 4's.

The coal stocks were the features of today's stock market. They contributed 40 per cent. of the day's business, and were the only active stocks that declined decided weakness. The whole market, however, was irregular and at times very feverish, especially in early dealings. Transcontinental quarters and several strikes in the West and Southwest met appreciable effect upon prices, as no news of importance was received. Sales, Jefferson and Quincy, Erie common, Lake Shore, Kansas and Texas, Louisville and Nashville, Missouri Pacific, Manhattan, Pacific preferred, St. Paul and Duluth, Texas and Pacific, Union Pacific and Western Union all show declines. The market was decidedly irregular at the closing weak for coal stocks and firm for active shares.

Money on call easy, 1½@3.

Prime mercantile paper, 4@5.

Sterling bills unchanged, $4 87¾; demand, $4 89¾.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

4 per cents	105½	Or. Navigation	73¾
4½ per cents	113½	Transcontinental	36¾
Cal. Pacific	42½	Or. Imp'ment	29¾
Denver & R G	16	Panama	98
Erie	26	Pacific Mail	30½
Lake Shore	98¾	Texas Pacific	12¾
L. & N.	58¾	Union Pacific	48¾
Mich. Central	84½	United States	84½
Mo. Pacific	76	Fargo	111½
N. Y. Central	94¾	Western Union	84¾

SAN FRANCISCO STOCKS.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 18.

Cal. Bank	130	Ophir	85
Cal. Safe Dep.	100	Potosi	65
Cal. Title Ins.	60	Potosi	65
Cal. Powder	115	Savage	1 25
Cal. Steam Nav.	75	Sierra Nev.	65
Cal. Wine	65	Union Con	2 50

San Francisco Grain Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 18.—Wheat steady; good shipping, $1 82½@1 85. Barley quiet; $1 25; brewing, steady, $1 40@1 45. Corn quiet; California white, $1 30@1 35; large yellow, $1 15@1 20; small yellow, $1 30@1 37½.

Chicago Grain Market.

By Associated Press to the Times.

CHICAGO, March 18.—Wheat active but lower; 86c May. Corn active, lower; 38¾c May. Closing quotations: Wheat steady; higher; 79¾c March; 86¾c May; 85¾c June. Corn: March 36c higher; 32¾c May. Barley unchanged.

English Grain Market.

LIVERPOOL, March 18.—Wheat: Fair demand, 3 winter, 7s 4½d, firm; new winter, 7s 4d, firm; spring, 7s 4½d, firm. Corn: Spot in fair demand, futures in poor demand; spot, 4s 2½d, firm; March, 4s 2½d, steady; April and May, 4s 1½d, steady.

Pork.

CHICAGO, March 18.—Pork steady; cash, $9 80 May. Closed 10c higher; $9 75 March.

Los Angeles Produce Market.

The following is the official record of the Los Angeles Produce Exchange, corrected daily. In the quotations, unless otherwise stated, it is to be understood that the first figure is the highest price bid and the last the lowest price asked. These quotations are for round lots from first hands; for small lots out of store higher prices are asked.

WHEAT—Australian No. 1, $1 45, bid, do No. 2, $1 10, asked; do No. 2, $1 05, asked; White Russian, $1 35, asked; Gold Drop, $1 25; bid; Defiance, $1 60, asked. Defiance, No. 1 seed, $1 35, asked; do No. 2, $1 25, asked; Defiance, No. 1, $1 35, asked; Job lots, $1 30, asked.

RYE—No. 1, $2, asked.

OATS—Surprise, $1 50@1 60.

BARLEY—Chevalier, $1 05@1 12½; Feed, new, 95c, bid, $1 10, asked; Old barley, spot, $1 15; Seller, 1886, 95@75c.

CORN—Large yellow, carload lots, 90 bid; do, job lots, $1 10, asked; Small white, $1 10, asked; Small white, $1 10. Large white, $1 10, asked; Small white, $1 15, asked.

FLOUR—Los Angeles XXXX, Extra Family, $3 50, asked; Bonanza Roller Roll Mills Extra Family Pat. Rolled flour, $4 05, asked.

MILLFEED—Bran, $17 00, asked; Shorts, $19, asked; Mixed feed, $1 20, asked; Cracked corn, $1 20, asked; Ground barley, $1 35, asked; Rolled barley, $1 35, asked.

GRAIN BAGS—Mill sacks, 38½c; 1886 Calcutta spot, 4½c; Pulalo sacks, 2½@3c.

SEED—Alfalfa, new, 10@12½c.

HAY—Barley, W. B., No. 1, old, $8 50, asked; Barley, R. B., No. 1, $12 00, asked; Alfalfa, new, $9 50@10 00; Wheat, R. B., $12 00, bid; Wheat, W. B., $13 00, asked; Oat, W. B., $11 00, bid.

POTATOES—Early Rose, Northern, 90c, asked; Peachblows, 85c, asked; new potatoes, $1 00, asked; Early Rose, seed, 85c, asked.

SWEET POTATOES—Yellow, 70@$1 00; Red and White, 65c asked.

BUTTER—Fancy roll, W. B., 20c, asked; Choice roll, 18c, asked; Fair roll, 12½c, asked; Mixed store, 10@15c; Firkin cooking, 10c, asked.

CHEESE—Large, 12c, asked; Small, 12c, asked; Cheddars, on the 7th day of January, A. D. 1886, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the Court House of this county, Department No. 1, in the Courthouse in the city of Los Angeles, county of Los Angeles, has been appointed for hearing the application of Harriet Woolverton, praying that a document now on file in this court, purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Garrett R. Woolverton, deceased, be admitted to probate, and that letters testamentary be issued thereon to said Harriet Woolverton, without bonds, at which time and place all persons interested therein may appear and contest the same.

Dated March 9, 1886.

CHAS. H. DUNSMOOR,
County Clerk.
By F. B. FANNING, Deputy.
Edwin Baxter, attorney for petitioner.
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Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Ebenezer Peck, alias E. Bridge, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned, administrator of the estate of Ebenezer Peck, alias E. Bridge, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator, at the office of Wells, Van Dyke & Lee, rooms 11 to 18 Baker Block, Los Angeles, Cal., that being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate in the said county of Los Angeles.

Dated at Los Angeles, Cal., March 9, 1886.

JAMES A. FISHER,
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Notice of Foreclosure Sale.

Order of Sale and Decree of Foreclosure and Sale.

Mrs. H. A. Sampson and William Sampson, vs. Alfred James, John F. Eely, John M. Davies.

Sheriff's Sale.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Los Angeles, State of California, on the 7th day of January, A. D. 1886, in the above entitled action, wherein Mrs. H. A. Sampson and William Sampson, the above-named plaintiffs, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against Alfred James, John F. Eely and John M. Davies, defendants, on the 7th day of January, A. D. 1886, for the sum of $538 60, in gold coin of the United States, which said decree was, on the 2d day of February, A. D. 1886, recorded in judgment book 6 of said court, at page 378, I am commanded to sell all these certain lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the county of Los Angeles, State of California, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Lot number nineteen (19) in block number one (1) in the Homestead Building Association tract of East Los Angeles.

Also lots number one (1) and twenty-two (22), in block number eighty-seven (87), in the town of San Pedro, as shown on a map of the said town of San Pedro, as surveyed by Charles T. Healey, September 19, 1874.

Terms and Conditions of Sale—Ten per cent. of purchase money to be paid to attorney of administrator; balance on confirmation of sale by the Superior Court of the county of Los Angeles. Deeds of said lots to be left at office of C. N. Wilson, attorney for plaintiff, No. 23 North Fort street, on or before the 19th day of March, 1886.

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Dated at Los Angeles, Feb. 15, 1886.

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Said election will be conducted by Claude T. Ballard, J. Talbert and R. F. Blake, who have been duly appointed to serve as judges thereof.

Said election will be held for the purpose of submitting to the electors of said district whether bonds of such district shall be issued and sold for the purpose of buying a school lot, building a schoolhouse and furnishing the same, in conformity with the provisions of the Political Code of this State and a resolution of the Board of Trustees of said district heretofore duly adopted.

The amount of the bonds proposed to be issued is five thousand dollars ($5000), of the denomination of $1000 each, and to bear interest at the rate of eight per cent per annum. The number of years which said bonds are to run is as follows, viz.: $1000 due March 1, 1887; $1000 due March 1, 1888; $1000 due March 1, 1889; $1000 due March 1, 1890; $1000 due March 1, 1891.

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Proposals for Army Transportation.

HEADQUARTERS DEPT OF ARIZONA, Office of the Chief Quartermaster, Whipple Barracks, Prescott, A. T., March 15, 1886.

Sealed proposals, in triplicate, subject to the usual conditions, will be received at this office until 11 o'clock a. m. THURSDAY, April 15, 1886, at which time and place they will be opened in presence of bidders for the transportation of Military Supplies on the following described routes in the Department of Arizona, during the fiscal year commencing July 1, 1886, and ending June 30, 1887, by wagon, viz.:

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Miscellaneous.

A $10,000 Sire.

HAVE YOU seen the celebrated stud that G. J. Griffith recently purchased in San Francisco? He is one of the largest trotting stallions on the Pacific Coast. For his pedigree and wonderful trotting qualities the following figures and notes will explain themselves. Mr. J. C. Martin, after complimenting the horse for his fine disposition and a stylish trot, said that the horse had unquestionably cost Mr. E. Martin over $10,000, and that it was like parting with an old friend to see him go away. He then wrote the following pedigree, which undoubtedly is correct, as Mr. M. has known the animal ever since he was a colt, and well knew the owners of his dam and sire.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 15, 1886.

The horse Gen. Crook was sired by Champion Knox out of stylish Kitty. English Kitty was imported by Spaulding Bros., of Boston. She was said to be a thoroughbred and a natural trotter. She was an old campaigner in the New England States and came to California in the '60s. Railroad," from her great bottom.

Both the sire of Gen. Crook and the dam, English Kitty were brought out from Maine Farm, Yolo county, Cal., by James Rucker, of Canyon City, Or.

I have known Gen. Crook since he was a colt and have owned him several years. I know him to be a fast trotter and consider him without any superior as a foal-getter and all-purpose horse.

P. J. MARTIN.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 16, 1886.

Gen. Crook is sired by Champion Knox; he by General Knox, is a rich dark chestnut in color, has a fine bony mane a d tail, stands 16¾ hands high, weighs 1200 pounds, is a very stylish mover and has a fine disposition. I have known the horse for about two years, and I take pleasure in saying that as a stock horse, for business, roadsters, carriage and all-purpose horses I consider him without a superior anywhere.

C. S. CUTTENDEN,
Pub Stables.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 15, 1886.

Mr. O. J. Griffith—Dear Sir: In answer to your request for a statement of what I know about your stallion, Gen. Crook, lately bought by you, I will say that he was placed in my hands when he was a two-year-old by his owner, Mr. P. J. Martin, who paid a large price for him even then he was that age. I broke him and gave him a very little training on a three-quarter track, and won the three-year-old trotting premium at the Oregon State Fair. I never drove a colt that trotted as fast with so little handling as he did, and his natural action, wherein Mrs. H. A. Sampson and William Sampson, the above-named plaintiffs, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against Alfred James, John F Early and John M. Davies, defendants, on the 7th day of January, A. D. 1886, for the sum of $538 60, in gold coin of the United States, which said decree was, on the 2d day of February, A. D. 1886, recorded in judgment book 6 of said court, at page 378, I am commanded to sell all these certain lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the county of Los Angeles, State of California, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

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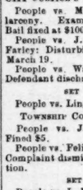

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THE CITY.

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Furniture, carpets, shades, wall-paper, lace curtains, etc., at Allen's, 32 South Spring street.

All goods marked down, on account of low freight, at Allen's.

Large invoices of furniture and carpets arriving daily at Allen's.

Large invoices of furniture and carriage dusters at Allen's

Another cut on carpets at Allen's, 32 South Spring street, between First and Second.

To the G. A. R. and the W. R. C. of Los Angeles: The President of Golcich Corps would like all who are interested to know that Mrs. Golcich has never been refused admittance to that Corps, no application having been made. Ada Bachman, Corps President.

B. Todd, M. D., Dentist, Nadeau Block.

There will be a musicale this evening, 19th inst., at the Los Angeles Conservatory of Music. Friends and patrons are invited.

Money to loan in sums of $500 and upwards, for five or short periods, by Chas. Charnock, 12 Court street.

"Harrison, the well-borer," has reduced prices of well boring. See him before contracting.

It is reported that there was a light fall of snow in the San Fernando valley yesterday.

O. H. Bliss reports a rainfall for the storm, up to last evening, of 1.03 of an inch, making the total for the season to date, 21.74 inches.

Prayer meeting each week day from 12 m. to 12:45 p. m., at Y. M. C. A. Hall, Nadeau Block. All invited.

Capt. Janes desires to inform the public that, owing to a sore cold, he was unable to make his address Saturday night, as announced, on the Chinese question. He will speak next Saturday night, March 20, from the courthouse.

Dr. Williams, specialist in diseases of the head, throat and lungs.

Dr. Urmy, Dentist, Schumacher Block.

If you have money to loan call on Wilcox & Robbins, 94 S. Spring.

Dr. Walter Lindley has removed his residence to 443 South Fort street, opposite Baptist Church. His office remains as before, at 237 South Spring street.

Button-holes and all kinds of fancy work done with neatness and dispatch, at the office of the Domestic Sewing Machine Company, corner First and Main streets.

Croup is quite prevalent among the children throughout the county.

A lady by the name of Cushing, residing on Alameda street, day before yesterday stepped out of the house leaving her baby sitting in a chair near the stove. On returning she found the child lying by the stove with its face badly burned. The child was not seriously injured, but will probably be disfigured for life.

The city is said to be full of crooked characters, and it will be well for property owners to keep a sharp lookout.

East Los Angeles prides itself on the fact that there are no stagnant ponds in and about the settlement.

The late sown grain is looking rather better than the early sown.

The old Episcopal church is nearly filled up for the County Tax Collector's office.

Two saloons closed their doors yesterday on account of the high license decision.

Northcrafts & Clark have postponed their auction sale of furniture and household goods until next Tuesday, on account of the weather.

Baker & Davison will guarantee these low rates till Saturday, 13 m.

Thomas Taylor, who resides on Temple street, was made happy night before last by the arrival of a son and heir.

BRIEFS.

Three deaths in the city yesterday, and one in the country.

The Orizaba sails north to-day, and the Eureka to-morrow.

Marriage licenses were yesterday issued to C. Meier and A. T. Maier and to A. Ten Eyck and M. A. Farwell.

There was a smart, short shower beginning at 3 p. m. yesterday, prefaced by a two-minute dash of hail.

The meeting of the First-street property-owners and the City Surveyor is set for this evening, in the Council chamber.

Filed in the Recorder's office yesterday: 22 deeds, 19 mortgages, 6 satisfactions, 3 marriage licenses and 3 miscellaneous papers.

A considerable number of newsboys and bootblacks will enjoy the hospitality of the W. C. T. U. this evening, in the Y. M. C. A. rooms.

The examination of Charles Gassen on the charge of knowingly buying counterfeit silver will continue before Justice Rainey to-day, with closed doors.

Dave Waldron was arrested yesterday for fast driving, coincident with drunkenness and disorderly conduct. He is in duress on both charges.

The side door of the Farmers' and Merchants' Bank was found unlocked yesterday morning. There was no burglary in it—simply a bit of janitorial forgetfulness.

Y. Ortega, the absconding barber, appears to have got into the pockets of his friends to the tune of about $700 before he skipped El Paso-ward. He is likely to be brought back.

PERSONAL NEWS.

Officer Roberts, who is improving, has gone to Pasadena to convalesce.

A typographical error yesterday made the name of D. Fishli's guest read Banfre, in place of Beaupre.

Chas. Higgins and wife, of Chicago, registered at the Depot Hotel yesterday. Twenty-five other tourists were turned away.

A. L. Sykes, an observant Connecticuter who has been enjoying some weeks here, went east yesterday via New Orleans. He may come back to stay.

Col. A. Allen, proprietor of the Merchants' Hotel, St. Paul—one of the most noted hostelries in the Northwest—arrived in the city yesterday to pass a few days.

J. I. Case, of Racine, Wis., one of the largest manufacturers in the United States, and the owner of the celebrated trotter *Jay Eye See*, arrived with a party in a special car yesterday.

Miss Frankenfield, though much shaken by her accident from a runaway on Tuesday, is fast recovering. She was not hurt so much by the fall as by being dragged a long distance—for she held pluckily to the lines.

Alexander G. Abel, Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge of California, F. & A. M., arrived in the city yesterday from San Diego, and will remain here a few days. He is here on official business, but in search of health.

Mrs. Rose Breed, daughter-in-law of Councilman Breed, returned on Wednesday to her home in Chinon after a visit of five months here. The sad fate of her husband, Fred A. Breed, who was killed by a collision in New Mexico last year, will be be remembered by Angelenos.

At the St. Charles: C. E. Alexander, Toledo, O.; Mrs. E. C. Perry, Lake Erie, Ontario; G. O. Sanford and wife, Rockfield, Ind. G. Knapp, Auburn, N. Y.; W. A. Atkinson, Centers; H. Breckwith, H. D. Breckwith, Utica, N. Y.; Geo. Hodson and wife, Fresno; John Kramer, Omaha, Neb.; E. H. Parker, Derry, N. H.; M. Reinham, Santa Ana.

At the Grand Central Hotel: F. E. Bowers, Baltimore; John Maharrie, Parkers, Iowa; C. P. Ely and daughter, Fallbrook; Chas. Bayer, Kansas City; Jas. R. Stevenson, Fallbrook; Nola Oliver, Holton, Kas.; Chas. A. Beckwith, Plainfield, Ill.; Mrs. Mollermott, Kansas City; Frank Walker, Dalton, Ga.; Henry Hobart, Boston; E. E. Campbell, Toledo; Wm. R. Cloyd, McKinney, Ky.; G. A. Goings, Pasadena; Sylvester Haff, Columbus, O.; Fred. Wood, Lathrop; C. C. Stephens, Cincinnati; Max Skinner, Independence; Samuel Brosp, De Witt, Iowa; Thomas Diehle, San Francisco; C. Moore, wife and child, Colorado Springs; J. J. Clarke, Duarte; N. O. Williams, Washington; John S. Nace, Cleveland, O.; Byron Collins, David Tippens, Galion, O.; W. J. Reese and family, San Diego; George R. Waites, New York.

Basket Picnic.

Mothers, pack your basket lunch and take the children on a Saturday or Sunday to Lamanda Park, on the San Gabriel Valley Railroad. A fine grove—"the green grass growing all around"—nature in her most inviting mood. A good time and rosy cheeks, yonks portion. If so, may we offer every week "a happy return of the day!" Round trip, 60 cents; children half fare.

Consignment Sale.

Glove kid button-shoes, $1.50.

LEWIS BROS.

PASADENA.

Second Day of the Citrus Fair.

A RECORD OF WHAT WAS SAID AND SEEN.

Increased Attendance—A Glance Through the Exhibits and a List of the Entries —Some Men of the Press Talk.

The Pasadena Citrus Fair was granted the concession of a semi-sunshiny day yesterday, which is to say it rained only about half the time. The attendance was considerably improved over that of the opening day, and, during the afternoon exercises, the main floor was reasonably filled and most of the seats in the gallery were taken.

THE EXHIBITS—SPECIAL MENTION.

During the forenoon, visitors amused and profited themselves by promenading about the hall and inspecting the fruits and flowers, to which they gave great commendation for their excellence and variety. Several new displays were manifest. On the stage there was a large pyramid of oranges, shown by Bayard T. Smith, of Oak Knoll. The stage was also decorated by new festoons and bouquets and floral designs, such as a globe of roses and an anchor of Marechal Neil, J. W. Wood, the ex-editor and present druggist, displayed in a glass case, by way of contrast to the generally semi-tropic atmosphere, a winter cane away down East. It was a yard, with farm-house, barn, hay-rick, frozen pond, pump, cattle, sheep, and a man with horse and cutter, all in miniature, and all covered with a fleecy coat of snow.

The design was very neatly worked out. Some wag attached a placard to the case, reading, "Florida, 1886," but the exhibitor took it off as being too severe a thrust at a sister State in distress.

FLOWERS.

The floral stand at the foot of the hall was laden with new decorations, including an immense basket of flowers contributed by Dr. Lyman Allen, and various designs in boats, baskets, harps, etc. The fountain was decorated with calla and flags. About the hall were dispersed, in swaying gracefulness, long sprays of tamarac in bloom, branches of pepper, cypress, and fronds of palm. Mrs. D. Collier exhibited a large branch of an Australian tree known as Wigandie, new to this country.

Thus much by way of ornament. The real merits of the Fair were to be found, of course, in the bright and luscious fruits displayed in boxes, plates and pyramids on the three stands running the length of the hall.

One of the most marked exhibits was that of Bayard T. Smith, of Oak Knoll. It was surmounted by the letters "O. K.," worked out in little oranges by Mrs. Michaels, which were not only the initials of Mr. Smith's homestead, but also emblematic of his exhibit. He displayed finely colored seedlings, a portion of them enclosed in printed wrappers.

FINE FRUIT.

The display of Talbott Kinney, of Kinneyloa, was also very fine, including some of the largest and highest colored Mandarins ever shown in California.

There was also an exhibit of magnificently colored Malta Blood oranges close to Mr. Kinney's from the place of Mr. Brigdon.

The Sierra Madre settlement was represented by several boxes of fine oranges and lemons.

Mr. W. H. Raymond presented a plate of strawberries and raspberries, picked, as the label indicated, "while the mountains are white with snow not five miles distant."

Dr. Wright, of Pasadena, showed fruit from a tree which was exhibited in a box in the Fair a year ago, and which, when replaced in terra firma, went on growing and bearing as though nothing had happened. Dr. Wright also exhibited, by way of curiosity, oranges two years old. They were, of course, overgrown, devoid of juice and useless for any practical purpose. Repeating his experiment of the previous year, the Doctor exhibited in the form an orange tree hanging full of fruit and a Eureka lemon tree bearing forty-six fine lemons.

James Clarke had on exhibition a sprig of ripe loquats.

James Clarke had a plate of White Winter Pearmain apples in good preservation, an unusual exhibit for this season of the year.

Geo. E. Meherry showed some beets two feet cold, and probably pretty tough old soldiers.

A full list of the entries is given in another place.

THE BOOTHS.

One of the great attractions of the hall was the fancy stand, in charge of Mrs. D. M. Graham and Mrs. Clark A. Gardner, assisted by Miss Denton.

Near by a little Miss of four years dispensed the prettiest of *bonbonniers* at a nickel apiece.

A cake containing a fine gold ring, as a prize to the purchaser of the lucky piece, was in charge of Misses Lida Visscher, Jettie Arthur and Lucille Robinson.

The Japanese booth, which dispensed coffee and gave away the cups and saucers, was presided over by Miss Elliott, in the character of "Yum Yum."

A "mail-pie," with ribbons protruding from the crust, at ten cents a pull, was presided over successively by Lucy Stratton, Helen Skinner, Fannie Rollo, Jessie and Henrietta Visscher. The reporter borrowed ten cents from a friend, invested in a pull, and brought up a prairie dog. Now, who would like to eat meal-pie with prairie dog in it?

At the lemonade and candy stands, Misses Margaret Cox and Elma Ball dispensed acid sweetness long drawn out.

THE MANAGEMENT.

The credit for the successful management of the fair is due to the executive committee, consisting of R. Williams, President; Mrs. S. E. Marion Clark, C. C. Thompson and H. H. Susserott.

The flower department is in charge of Mrs. R. Williams, assisted by Mmes. C. C. Thompson, A. A. Williamson, S. O. McGrew, H. H. Susserott, C. Brown, and Misses Elma Ball and Madge Cox.

The refreshments are in charge of Mrs. Williams, assisted by Mmes. Turner, Dingmoor and Yore, and Misses Yore, Maynard and Lacy.

From 12 m. until 2 p. m., the ladies served lunch in a room adjoining the main hall, and they were well patronized.

THE EXERCISES.

At half past 2 p. m., the hall being well filled, as stated, President Abbott Kinney rapped for order and the hitherto restless crowd gradually settled into quiet. Mr. Kinney, with a few prefatory remarks, introduced

COL. H. H. BOYCE,

who spoke as follows:

Had the citizens of some old-world Pasadena—if there ever was another place anywhere that deserved to bear so beautiful a name—proceeded to organize a citrus fair two hundred and seventy years ago there would have been lacking some features that make an attendance here to-day a pleasure and a delight. There would, I am sure, have been missed that air of gracious welcome which makes every stranger sojourning within your gates feel that he is with friends at home.

Another feature which, judging by this large audience, is thought to be of some importance would also have been lacking there. There could have been no newspaper day, for there was not at that time a single newspaper in all the world. Have you ever sufficiently upon the fact that the newspaper is entirely a modern invention? Have you thought that for six thousand years the human race lived and labored, watched and waited, toiled and suffered, bearing the burdens of life with what patience they might, and yet not one of them ever read a morning paper, or ever knew what it meant to be "written up" in the highest style of the art? It is enough to make an accomplished reporter with a sharp nose for the latest news turn green with envy when he thinks of all the great events that have happened since time began, and no chance for him to send in a swell report, or to get a "scoop" on his fellow-mortals. Troy was besieged, was taken and destroyed to avenge the loss of the beautiful Helen, and yet the immortal history of those ten years of gigantic strife was buried under the dust of ages, and was happily resurrected only because the sublime genius of a Homer would not let it die. Alexander overturned the whole of the then known world with his invincible army, and sitting down upon the shore of the farther sea to weep because there were no more worlds to conquer, would have made a brave figure for one of Gath's celebrated all-header articles, giving the latest news from the seat of war. Cæsar, campaigning with his undaunted legions in Gaul, was not accompanied by a single special war correspondent to flash back the news of battles fought and victories won, but he himself became the faithful chronicler of his own great deeds. Again, the most important and all-powerful event that has happened since time began—the event that marks the greatest era in history, and from which all other events take their date, was neither predicted nor recorded in the columns of a daily press, for there were only the silent stars to guide the footsteps of the wise men of the east to the Savior of the World. The gloom of the long Dark Ages was never penetrated by the enlivening genius of the faithful chronicler of the events of the day. What with the beginning of the twelfth century the Templar Knights bound themselves together as "Poor Soldiers of the Holy Cross" and marched out in their burnished armor, sounding their famous war-cry of *Bauseant*, in defense of the weary pilgrims on their way to the Holy Land, their heroic deeds were immortalized in story and in song, but were never blazoned forth in the press of the day. Shakespeare was born before the newspaper was, and died without knowing what a powerful instrument had been found for the upbuilding of the human race. What a world of science, letters, and of art existed before the newspaper was anything but a dream! England calls the press her fourth estate, while we boast of it as the palladium of our liberties, the people's college, the lever that moves the world. When we contemplate the long vistas of time during which it was utterly unknown, the splendid and enduring monuments that have been builded without it, and the brief span of its existence, it is apt to humble the pride of the most enthusiastic advocate of the press. But when we remember how intimately it is interwoven into the very life of the nation and what wonders have been accomplished by it since 1622, we are justified in holding it to be one of the greatest powers in the universe. The daily press should be the perfect mirror that reflects back, without spot or flaw the life of the community. It is more than a simple mirror, it is a leader and a teacher and therefore should be sacredly bound to select for representation the best that transpires, so that it may up-build and not tear down. The newspaper man should be a man of infinite resources and many sided, for he touches the community in more directions than any other man in it. He should be helpful, hopeful and forgiving and generous minded to a fault. He should habitually look on the bright side of things and believing firmly in the right, he should stand by it with unfaltering faith. He should make the best of the news and even magnify it, but he should religiously keep his nose out of the gutter and not go hunting a sensation in the shape of the latest scandal. He should guard sacredly the good name of the community in which he lives, and feel that its prosperity insures his own. Personally he should have the courage of a Daniel, the meekness of a Moses, the patience of a Job, the endurance of a mule and the backbone of a whale. Above and beyond all, he should be a lover of his race, implicitly believing in his fellow-men, for without such faith he may aspire to be an agitator and a disturber, but can never become a true leader of the people.

MAJOR HORACE BELL

was next introduced and delivered a pithy speech, which brought to light some reminiscences not hitherto generally known. He said, among other thing, that he was offered in 1852 the whole territory on which Pasadena now stands as a gift, and he refused it. A rich uncle proposed to purchase the tract of twenty thousand acres and turn it over to him for a stock ranch, but, after canvassing the matter pretty thoroughly, he concluded he could not make a living out of it. The range in the Pasadena foothills was not very good for stock. The Major did not say so, but he evidently wished he were the owner of those twenty thousand acres now.

CHARLES A. GARDNER

Charles A. Gardner, of the Pasadena Union, was next introduced as "the proprietor of Pasadena's daily paper," and he proceeded to deliver an address relative thing with good points, and which devoted some attention to the editorial profession and to Pasadena.

Wm. A. Spalding followed with a few pioneering reminiscences, from the standpoint of a Sierra Madre farmer.

C. T. Hopkins was next introduced, and set forth the prospective improvements in Pasadena and the glorious future awaiting the foothills country.

George W. Peck, "Peck's Bad Boy," was introduced as the "tid-bit" of the feast, and made a brief and witty speech.

Chairman Kinney followed with a "Nannygoat of a Snaik," which concluded the day's exercises.

IN THE EVENING

the assemblage was entertained with vocal and instrumental music, in which several well-known amateurs participated.

To-day Rev. M. N. Cornelius will deliver an address. Mrs. J. C. Carr will read a paper on apricot picking and canning, and there will be other interesting proceedings.

It has been determined, in view of the inclement weather, which has thus far interfered considerably with the attendance, to continue the fair Saturday and Saturday evening, and to give the play next Monday evening.

Entries.

F. M. Hovey: Washington Navels, Eureka lemons; picked September 1, 1885; six and one-half pounds each.

Adam Becker: Malta Bloods.

A. O. Bristol: Konah oranges.

James Craig: Navel oranges; olive oil, manufactured this year (the first olive oil made in Pasadena.)

J. Jorchow: Navel oranges.

L. E. Steinberger, Sierra Madre: Navel oranges and Eureka lemons.

George E. Meherry: Eureka lemons; beets.

David Collier, South Pasadena: Washington Navels and Lisbon lemons.

Dr. Ball: Konah oranges; apples; loquats; Sicily lemons.

Butler Talmage: Table oranges.

L. R. Vincent: Seedling oranges; Rio and Malta Bloods.

A. B. Chapman: San Gabriel, Malta Blood and Tangerine.

J. C. Carr: Lisbon lemons, seedling oranges and St. Michael.

J. H. Baker: Lisbon lemons, Mexican limes, seedling oranges, paper rind St. Michael.

D. M. Graham: Washington Navel, Malta Blood, Genoa lemons.

E. E. Hall: St. Michaels, seedlings, Washington Navels, Mediterranean Sweets. Wilson's Best and Eureka lemons.

Jas. Smith: Salsa or Navel, Mediterranean Sweet, Malta Blood, Wilson's Best, St. Michael, seedling, Bergamot Eureka lemons, Mexican limes.

Abbott Kinney: Washington Navel, Konah Tepi, seedlings, Mandarin, Malta Bloods, Rio and Lisbon lemons.

W. S. Hannaford: Rio, Portugal Navel, Workman, Nicaragua, Lake Vineyard, Mediterranean Sweet, Konah, Acapulco, and Sicily lemons.

D. R. Nic Lane: Konah oranges.

H. H. Visscher: Eureka lemons, Malta Blood oranges, Mediterranean Sweet, Navels.

A. Brigdon: Malta Blood.

H. D. Bryant: Navels and Eureka lemons.

C. T. Hopkins: Seedlings, St. Michaels, Mandarins, Mediterranean Sweet, Genoa lemons.

B. T. Smith: Oak Knoll Seedlings, St. Michaels.

H. Turner: Lisbon lemons, seedling oranges.

R. C. Hyatt: Radish.

James Clark: Loquats, Eureka lemons, Pearmain apples, Malta blood-oranges, seedlings, Paper Rind St. Michaels Mediterranean Sweets, beets.

L. A. Wright, Eureka lemons, seedling oranges, Mediterranean Sweets, citrons, orange and lemon trees in bearing.

L. N. Winston: Bacon ranch, Mandarin, Navel, seedlings, Mediterranean Sweets, Sicily lemons, seedling lemons, seedling Mexican limes, English walnuts.

A. M. Byron: Navels, samples of rye.

Dr. I. S. Lord: Navel oranges.

A. M. Swain, Sierra Madre: Navel oranges.

W. H. Raymond: Lemons.

H. G. Bennett: Navels, Acapulco oranges, Rio, Nicaragua, Portugal Konah, Queen, Malta Blood, Eureka lemons, seedling lemons, Sicily, Lisbon and Genova.

W. A. Spalding: Sierra Madre, Eureka lemons.

Mrs. J. C. Carr: Exhibit of cocoons.

Bell & Holmes: Palm tree.

Craig & Hubbard: Canned cocoons.

Wetherby & Harris: Assortment boots and shoes.

James Foord, San Gabriel: Box of seedling oranges and box seedling lemons.

Germain Fruit Company: Dried Fruits.

Walter E. Cooley: Seedlings, Konahs, Lisbon lemons.

Miss White, artist, Los Angeles: Two flower pieces in oil; plaque in oil.

C. L. Turner: Oil painting.

Mrs. Dr. Michener: Crayon of Bryant, Devil's Falls in Millard's canon, Devil's Gate, Pond Lilies.

Mrs. Jewett: Banner, painting on velvet.

Elsinore Pottery: First ornamental vases produced.

T. B. Neason, Oakland: Cabinet of California woods, inlaid; very elaborate cribbage board, inlaid; picture frames, inlaid.

Mrs. Winslow: Orange-wood plaque.

Mrs. Elliott: Orange-wood plaque.

Chas. Turner: Orange-wood plaque, San-Gabriel bells.

Miss Theo. Lacy: Handkerchief of Mexican work.

Mrs. St. John: Two cups and saucers, decorated and burned in Pasadena.

Kan Koo, Exhibit of fancy Japanese-work.

Miss Altha Mohary: Macrame lace.

Miss Harris: Two breakfast caps, one afghan.

Mrs. Winslow: Hand-painted lamp-shade in ribbon and lace; ribbon handbag, orange plaques.

Miss Cole: Clutch-all.

Mrs. Howard: Handkerchief case.

Miss Bertie Whitney, San Pedro: Twine bag.

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Men's buckle shoes. Congress gaiters and low cut shoes, $1.75.

LEWIS BROS.

Consignment Sale.

Fine goat button-shoes, $1.25.

LEWIS BROS.

Consignment Sale.

Ladies' fine kid button-boots, $2.

LEWIS BROS.

WATER-RATES.

Comparison of the Old and New Ordinances.

There has been a great deal of talk with reference to the ordinance passed by Council last month, lowering the rates to be paid by consumers of city water. The Water Company has industriously circulated statements to the effect that the new ordinance discriminates in favor of the rich and against the poor. Last Tuesday, in the course of a message, Mayor Spence took occasion to inform Council that this ordinance would have to become a law without his signature; and that he would veto it except that such action would delay the passage of an ordinance fixing the water rates beyond the time set by law. He gave his indorsement to the Water Company's claim that the ordinance discriminates against the poor. Council did not take to this insinuation kindly. The fullest comparison of the two ordinances was courted, and the feeling seemed unanimous that the allegation of discrimination against the poor was absurd. The question is one which is of very general interest, and as there has been so much misapprehension, the TIMES presents the gist of the two rate-ordinances for comparison.

The old ordinance, which has been in force three years, fixes the monthly water rent for a one-story tenement occupied by one family, including water for bath-tub but not for water-closet, at $1.50; for a two-story ditto ditto, $2.00; for a three-story, $2.50. For each water-closet, 25 cents. The new rate for any tenement, one- or two- or three-story occupied by one family, $1.50, including bath-tub and water-closet.

The use of water by a rich family and a poor family for domestic uses is practically the same. Where the difference comes in is outside the house, in the grounds, etc. The old ordinance made no discrimination between the man who used a few pails of bath water once a fortnight, and the man who daily watered a lawn of 5000 square feet; and this inequality is one that the new ordinance is designed to do away with. The old ordinance fixed the rate for hose for washing windows, sidewalks, watering gardens, grounds or lawns at 50 cents per month for lots not over 60 feet frontage; $1 for lots between 60 and 100 feet frontage, and two cents for each additional foot of frontage over 100 feet. The new ordinance makes two classes under the outdoor head, one for those who have no lawns, and use water for window washing, sprinkling sidewalks, gardens, etc., at 25 cents for all lots up to a 60-foot frontage; 50 cents for frontage between 60 and 100 feet; and 1 cent a foot for frontage over 100 feet. The second class is for the wealthier, who do have lawns, and the rate is 50 cents for a 60-foot front or less, 75 cents for a frontage of 60 to 100 feet, and 2 cents for each foot in excess of 100.

Under the old ordinance the tariff for private horse and vehicle was 25 cents; under the new it is 15 cents. Under the old ordinance it was 12½ cents for each additional horse, and the same for each additional vehicle; under the new it is 10 cents for each.

Under the old ordinance, the charge for each water-closet in a public building was $2, and for each urinal $1; under the new it is $1.50 and 75 cents respectively.

Under the old ordinance the charge for water for building purposes was 20 cents for each barrel of lime used; under the new it is 10 cents.

The old charge to bakeries was 5 cents for each barrel of flour used; the new charge is 3 cents.

Under the old ordinance the tax for each bath-tub in a hotel, barber shop, lodging house, etc., was $2.50; under the new it is $2.

In meter rates a heavy reduction is made. The old ordinance fixed the rate for each 1000 gallons up to 10,000 per month, at $1; for each 1000 gallons in excess of 10,000, 75 cents. The new ordinance sets the figures at 25 and 15 cents respectively.

The above figures speak for themselves. The new rates will go into effect July 1, 1886.

Church of the Unity.

Dr. Fay will deliver at the Opera House the following course of sermons on "Man:"

March 21.—"The Boy the Father of the Man."

March 28.—"The Religion of the Body, or the Physical Conditions of Doing Our Best."

April 4.—"The Fast Young Man."

April 11.—"Brakes."

April 18.—"The Business Man."

April 25.—"The Husband and Father."

May 2.—"Man's Dignity and Glory as an Intellectual and Moral Being."

May 9.—"What Then?"

These sermons, as their titles suggest, will discuss the great relations, opportunities, responsibilities and satisfactions of our mortal life, and, though addressed to men, they will nevertheless be suggestive to both sexes and all classes.

The public are cordially invited.

Headquarters Great Gift Sale.

Ticket No. 1,648 wins a fine hanging lamp.

Ticket No. 1,612 wins a cut-glass butter-bowl.

Ticket No. 1,635 wins a pair of ladies' slippers.

Ticket No. 1,646 wins a fine berry set.

Ticket No. 1,676 wins a pair of ladies' French kid button-shoes.

Ticket No. 1,691 wins a pair of ladies' slippers.

Ticket No. 1,650 wins a cut-glass wine set.

Ticket No. 1,698 wins a pair of gents' calf boots.

Ticket No. 1,681 wins a cut-glass tea set of four pieces.

Extra Inducements to-day. Elegant prizes. Big drives in boots and shoes.

HEADQUARTERS,

209 Downey Block, North Main St.

Consignment Sale.

Pebble goat button-shoes, $1.

LEWIS BROS.

Our Big Drives, for To-Day Only—People's Store.

Yard-wide heavy unbleached muslin, 8 cents a yard, to-day only.

Combination dress goods, plain and striped, 12½ cents, to-day only.

Embroidered linen handkerchiefs, 12½ cents, to-day only.

Patent Roman shape-corsets, $1.25, to-day only.

Ladies' mixed ribbed hose, 10 cents a pair, to-day only.

Ladies' wool black full finished hose, 15 cents a pair, to-day only.

Children's ribbed black hose, white feet, 8 cents a pair, to-day only.

Ladies' colored border handkerchiefs, 3 cents each, to-day only.

Ladies' mourning handkerchiefs, 5 cents each, to-day only.

PEOPLE'S STORE.

E. Adam's Clothing House.

Only $13.50 for a fine silk mixed, all-wool dress suit. You would consider the suit cheap at $25.50. Come and look at the suit.

15 S. Spring street.

E. Adam's Clothing House.

$5 buys an elegant men's working suit that our competitors would consider a bargain for $10. Call 15 S. Spring street.

Choice Grape Cuttings

For sale. E. L. Mayberry, San Gabriel, California.

E. Adam's Clothing House.

Look at our $17 50 four-button cutaway suits. Our competitors would have to lose money by selling you the quality at such figures.

Call 15 S. Spring street.

Amateur Talent Wanted.

Ladies and gentlemen who are desirous of taking part in a first-class dramatic entertainment, and who have had some experience, can do so by addressing M. Lehman, Manager Owl Dramatic Club, P. O. Box 785.

Ghirardelli's vanilla chocolate is delicious as sweetmeat and as a beverage.

Beecher on Advertising.

" " " I am glad that the doctor cured him. I am glad that the doctor put it into the paper that he could cure him. And if any doctor is certain he can cure such diseases and don't put it in the paper, I am sorry. What a pity it would have been had this doctor come to town with his wealth of science and experience, and gone away leaving him uncured! What a pity it would have been if he had been so prejudiced against advertising as to read the responsible certificates of the doctor and give him the go-by as a quack! What are newspapers for, if not to circulate information? What more valuable information can a newspaper give than to tell a sick man where he can be cured? If a man has devoted his life and his labor to the study of a special class of diseases, the necessity of his saying so becomes all the more pressing. His duty to advertise become imperious. A really able man, whatever be his gifts, makes a great mistake if he fails to use those gifts through want of advertising."

The above extract, from an able article by the Rev. Henry Ward Beecher, embodies a sound view of the necessity of advertising. Suppose Dr. Davis had not advertised, and published numerous certificates from well-known persons whom he has cured, how many would know, in a place with so large and so transient a population as Los Angeles, that there was a doctor among us who could cure that most troublesome of all complaints —catarrh—whether it affects the nose, throat or lungs? How many of our leading citizens would now be in their graves from consumption if they had not learned of his successful treatment, with medical inhalations, through advertising? Dr. Davis has been located for two years at 434 N. Spring street, this city, doing his good work, and we hope that he will continue to prosper as in the past.—Adv.

E. F. Moorhouse, 146 S. Spring St.

Jobbing in carpenter work. Step-ladders and orange ladders a specialty. Agent for Centennial windmills. Plaster paris ornaments for sale, put up and guaranteed. Telephone 341.

Money to loan in sums of $500 and upwards, for long or short periods, by Chas. Charnock, 12 Court street.

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Trained Servants—The Best Way to Boycott the Chinese.

The Immigration Association of Southern California has taken advantage of the low rates to the Atlantic seaboard and is about to dispatch a second special agent to England (one having already there) to bring out a large number of trained servants to take places here at from $15 to $20 per month. We must be able to guarantee them places before they start. Any who wish now to secure reliable help can make the arrangement by signing an agreement to employ one or more of these girls as long as they are satisfactory. The names of persons applying for servants will be entered in a book and they will be supplied in the order in which the applications are received. The office of the association is 37 N. Spring street.

H. H. BOYCE,
President Association.

J. E. CLARKE,
Commissioner of Immigration.

The Foreign Physicians.

The most eminent German and English physicians are now recommending celery for neuralgia. Try Dr. Henley's Celery, Beef and Iron.

Skillful, reliable and thoroughly scientific dyers at the Great American Dye House, No. 9 Aliso street.

MARRIAGES.

GATES—BONES. At the residence of T. F. Miller, East Washington street, March 17, 1886, by Rev. W. G. Stevens, Solomon Gates, of Pomona, Cal., and Margaret E. Boner, of this city.

DEATHS.

SPICER—At Azusa, March 18, 1886, Lisba Kate Spicer, aged 36 years.

North Carolina papers please copy.

BOTSFORD—At Iron Sulphur Springs, Wednesday, March 17, 1886, at 11:45 p. m., after a protracted illness, Edna, youngest daughter of J. E. and Mary L. Botsford, of Port Huron, Mich.

Funeral will take place at Los Angeles, on Friday, the 19th inst.

District Agricultural Association No. 6.

SPRING RACES!

—AT—

Agricultural Park,

LOS ANGELES,

Thursday, Friday and Saturday,

May 13, 14 and 15.

PROGRAMME.

THURSDAY, MAY 13—FIRST DAY.

No. 1—Trotting—2:29 class; purse $150; mile heats, 3 in 5.

No. 2—Running—Three-quarter mile dash; purse $150; free for all; weight for age.

FRIDAY, MAY 14—SECOND DAY.

No. 3—Trotting—Named Race—Mile heats, 3 in 5; purse $300; to be driven by Washington, Apprentice Boy, Cade, Major, Dempsey, Gen. Hewitt, Contractor and Belle Forest.

No. 4—Running—Half mile and repeat; free for all; purse $150; weight for age.

SATURDAY, MAY 15—THIRD DAY.

No. 5—Trotting—Purse $350; 2:25 class; mile heats, 3 in 5.

No. 6—Running—Purse $150; free for all; weight for age.

Entries close on Thursday, April 15.

Circulars containing rules, remarks and conditions, and entry blanks furnished on application to the Secretary.

L. LICHTENBERGER,
President.

R. H. HEWITT,
Secretary. 9 and 5 N. Main st.

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JOHN M. BATCHELOR & CO., Auctioneers.

OFFICE, 25 NADEAU BLOCK,

LOS ANGELES.

Warehouse with Wayne Bros., 640 to 666 Alameda street.

Real Estate Owners Invited to Call.

$5000 BONDS DEPOSITED WITH THE COUNTY CLERK.

Lands subdivided for auction sale. Merchandise invited for auction. Sale at warehouse or owners' premises.

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FOR SALE—A LOVELY HOME.

ON HILL ST.—Handsome cottage of six rooms, elegantly furnished, and fitted out with all modern improvements; bathroom, sink and linen closet, gas, hot and cold water, screens, inside blinds, brick foundation, tiled hearths, stationary washstands and patent water closet; stable and woodhouse; lot 60x165, with cement walks, flowers, etc., at present occupied by Mr. Guinn. Apply to VERGIL, Room 80, Temple Block. mrl8 1m

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE public that we, the undersigned, heretofore doing business under the firm name known as Wilson & Co., of No. 34 Los Angeles street, in the City and County of Los Angeles, State of California, have, this 15th day of March, 1886, sold all the store goods, stock in trade, fixtures, etc., to Wong Yuen Lee and Ghop Sung, as copartnership, and hereafter to transact the business in the same place and under the firm name and style of Quong Lun Sang & Co., and hereafter the old firm will not be responsible for the accounts, debts and liabilities of the new firm.

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For Exchange.

EXCHANGE FOR LOS ANGELES COUNTY property—Ranch of 6200 acres, 5,00 sheep; 3,00 acres fenced, costing $4000; four miles from county seat of Wasco county, Oregon. Good bargain for the right man.

Address P. O. Box 1327, telling me where I can see you. mrl6 1f

5 ACRES, $850.

Another Pasadena Bargain.

THIS TIME IT IS FIVE ACRES OF choice level land, now in barley, with ample water right piped to the land. The owner must sell, and is offering it a few days at $850.

WARD BROTHERS,

The Leading and Oldest Real Estate, Loan and Insurance Firm in Pasadena.

Office, No. 5 N. Fair Oaks Ave.

(Adjoining Postoffice.) oct25

REMOVAL.

THE EXCELSIOR STEAM LAUNDRY HAS been removed from the corner of Date and Mission streets to the corner of Wall and Seventh streets. In the new building a fine lot of machinery has been put in, and all work will be done in first-class style.

ONLY WHITE LABOR EMPLOYED.

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OPERA RESTAURANT.

15 South Main Street.

All kinds of Roast Meats served with Tea or Coffee, fifteen cents.

All kinds of Chops, Fish and Stews, 15c.

CALL AND SEE FOR YOURSELF.

Seven fifteen-cent meal tickets for $1.

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CHEAP HOME FOR SALE. $1800.

TWO-STORY HOUSE OF EIGHT ROOMS,